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## Miscellaneous.

*The Under Secretary of State to the Lieutenant-Governor.*

OTTAWA, 29th May, 1876.

SIR,—I have the honor to transmit to you, herewith for the information of your Government, a copy of an Order of His Excellency the Governor-General in Council, transferring and appropriating certain lands therein described, for the use of the Legislature and Government of the Province of British Columbia.

I have, etc.,

(Signed) EDOUARD LANGEVIN.

**Government House, Ottawa, Friday, 26th May, 1876.**

PRESENT:

His Excellency the Governor-General in Council.

ON the recommendation of the Honorable the Minister of Public Works, and under the provisions of the 8th section of the "British North America Act, 1867," and the 8th item of the Third Schedule attached thereto.—

His Excellency, by and with the advice of the Queen's Privy Council for Canada, has been pleased to order, and it is hereby ordered, that the following properties situated in the localities hereinafter mentioned in the Province of British Columbia be, and they are hereby, transferred to and appropriated for the use of the Legislature and Government of the said Province of British Columbia, that is to say:—

1. The lots and Buildings marked B, C and E on plan No. 1, signed by the Honorable Henry Holbrook, Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works, and being Lot B, the Government Buildings; Lot C, a School House and Reserve; and Lot E, the Police Barracks, all in Victoria.

2. The Lot and Building represented on plan No. 6, signed as above, and being the Lieutenant-Governor's residence at Victoria.

3. The Public Building and Land represented on plan No. 8, signed as above, and being a School House and Reserve in Victoria District.

4. The Lots and Buildings indicated on plan No. 10 by the letters C, E, and F, and signed as above, being Lot C, the Court House and Jail; Lot E, a Public School House; and Lot F, a Public Hospital, all at New Westminster.

5. The Public Buildings and Lands indicated on plan No. 16, signed as above, being the Court House and Jail at Nanaimo.

6. The Public Buildings and Lands indicated on plan No. 17, by letter A, and signed as above, being the Court House and Jail at Hope.

7. The Public Buildings and Lands indicated on plan No. 19, by letter A, signed as above, being the Jail at Yale.

8. The Public Buildings and Lands indicated by letters A and B, on plan No. 22, signed as above, being the Court House and Jail at Lytton.

9. The Public Buildings and Lands indicated by letters A and B, on plan No. 25, signed as above, being Lot A, a Court House; and Lot B, a Jail, at Lillooet.

10. The Public Buildings and Lands represented on plan No. 28, signed as above, being the Jail at Quesnelle.

11. The Public Buildings and Lands represented on plan No. 30, signed as above, and marked respectively "Court House," "Jail," and "Police Barracks," at Richfield.

12. The Public Buildings and Lands indicated on plan No. 31, signed as above, and marked "Assay Office," and "approximate site of Jail," at Barkerville.

13. The Public Building indicated on plan No. 32, signed as above, and marked "Lock-up," at Van Winkle.

14. The Public Buildings and Lands indicated on plan No. 33, and marked "Court House, Gaol, Police Barracks, Church and Parsonage," at Langley; all of which plans are authenticated by the signature of the Minister of Public Works, and remain on record in his department.

And it is further ordered, that the said enumerated properties be, and they are hereby, transferred to the said Province of British Columbia, in their present state, and subject to any condition in the original grant or reservation, and to any trust, rent, claim, servitude, or other encumbrance whatsoever.

(Signed) W. A. HIMSWORTH,
Clerk Privy Council, Canada.
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## NOTICE.

### W. P. SAYWARD.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT I have removed my

**LUMBER YARD AND OFFICE**

— TO THE —

**South End of Rock Bay Bridge,**

Where a full stock of

**SUPERIOR ISLAND LUMBER,**

**Windows, Doors, &c.,**

WILL BE FOUND.

Orders dropped in the Post Office will receive prompt attention.

Feeling grateful to my patrons and the public for their past favors, I will endeavor to merit the same liberal support in the future.

my24 1m W. P. SAYWARD.

## REMOVAL.

### R. Maynard,

HAVING REMOVED HIS

BOOT, SHOE AND LEATHER STORE

TO THE COR. OF DOUGLAS & JOHNSON STS.

s now prepared to receive orders for every description of

**BOOTS AND SHOES.**

Parties in the Trade can be supplied with all kinds

FRENCH KIP AND CALF,
UPPERS IN GREAT VARIETY,

Also, SEWING MACHINES adapted for Shoemakers

my28 ☞ CASH PAID FOR HIDES. ☜

### A. Casamayou & Co.

YATES ST., VICTORIA.

COMMISSION MERCHANTS AND WHOLE sale Dealers in

GROCERIES, PROVISIONS, HAVANA CIGARS

**Wines, Liquors, &c.,**

h18 And French Preserves.

### DR. MA CHOO TSUNG,

(FROM CANTON)

**Surgeon and Physician,**

CORMORANT ST., opp. Orleans Hotel.

CERTIFIED BY ENGLISH AND AMERIcan Consuls at Canton as being duly qualified, respectfully solicits the attention of the afflicted.

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## Miscellaneous.

Come ye citizens and strangers,
Miners, Sailors and Western Rangers,
Listen to the truthful story,
Of Frank Campbell of Victoria.
He in truthful words will tell you
Just the goods he has to sell you,
Mind ye now he isn't joking,
If you are fond of Chewing and Smoking,
Or if you are given to snuffing
What he keeps does not need puffing.
He has brands will suit you really,
Tobacco users prize them dearly;
From all parts of the "Old Dominion
He has stock and his opinion
Is that none can suit you better,
They will please you to the letter.
His Cigars, just from "Havana,"
Smoke in the mostlovely manner;
Meerchaum Pipes of style and fashion,
Just to suit each taste and passion;
And it is in Canada stated,
His Tobaccos are celebrated;
Green Seal, Straight Cut, all go,
Big Lick, Big Cut, Wind Sap, also.
All the Fine Cut brands for chewing,
That your teeth will never ruin:
Pipes to suit the inveterate smoke
Cards for playing Sinch or Poker.
Pipes of brier and stems of cherry,
More than any man can carry;
It would take a week to tell you
All the things he has to sell you,
While in town you may be stopping!
At the "Adelphi Corner" drop in;
Campbell you'll find at that location,
Ready to give you information.
Or to see you well provided,
With what is by all decided
The smoker's and the chewer's glory,
The best and cheapest in Victoria.

### F. CAMPBELL

### KEATING'S PERSIAN INSECT-DESTROYING POWDER,

**As Supplied to Her Majesty's Government.**

THIS Powder is quite HARMLESS TO ANIMAL LIFE, but unrivalled in destroying FLEAS, BUGS, BEETLES, MOSQUITOS, MOTHS IN FURS, and every other species of Insect. SPORTSMEN will find this an invaluable remedy for destroying FLEAS IN Dogs, as also Ladies for their Pet Dogs. This invaluable article has found so great a sale that it has tempted others to vend a so-called article n imitation; the Public are therefore cautioned to observe that the Packets of the Genuine Powder bear the autograph of THOMAS KEATING.

SOLD IN TINS, PACKETS & BOTTLES BY ALL DRUGGISTS.

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### LEA & PERRINS

CELEBRATED

**WORCESTERSHIRE SAUCE,**

DECLARED BY CONNOISSEURS

TO BE

**The Only Good Sauce.**

**CAUTION AGAINST FRAUD.**

The success of this delicious and unrivalled Condiment having caused certain dealers to apply the name of "Worcestershire Sauce" to their own inferior compounds, the Public is hereby informed that the only way to secure the genuine is to

**ASK FOR LEA & PERRINS' SAUCE,**

and to see that their names are upon the Wrappe Label, Stopper, and Bottle.

Some of the foreign markets having been supplied with a spurious Worcestershire Sauce, upon the wrapper and labels of which the names of Lea and Perrins have been forged, L. and P. give notice that they have furnished their correspondents with power of attorney to take instant proceedings against Manufacturers and Vendors of such, or any other imitations by which their right may be infringed.

**Ask for LEA & PERRINS' Sauce and see Name on Wrapper, Label and Stopper.**

Wholesale and for Export by the Proprietors, Worcester; Crosse and Blackwell, London, &c., &c.; and by Grocers and Oilmen universally.

**To be obtained of Messrs. JANION, RHODES & CO., Victoria, V. I.** je4w

### C. P. R. R. TERMINUS STORE

QUESNELLEMOUTH, B. C.

THE BEST BRANDS OF

**Provincial FLOUR,**

BACON & BEANS Constantly on hand.

ALSO—A general assortment of

**Groceries, Dry Goods, Boots and Shoes, Hardware,**

AT VERY LOW PRICES.

STORAGE AND FORWARDING Done at Reasonable Rates.

my21 6m JAS. REID.

### NOTICE OF REMOVAL.

### Mrs. Maynard's NEW PHOTOGRAPHIC GALLERY

CORNER OF DOUGLAS & JOHNSON STREETS

VICTORIA, B. C.

IS NOW PREPARED TO TAKE ALL KINDS of Photographs in all the latest improvements.

On hand and for sale Views of British Columbia and Vancouver Island. Also, all kinds of Photographic Material.

As the New Gallery is well lighted I will guarantee satisfaction to all who will favor me with their patronage. mh23

### JAMES SYME, ARCHITECT,

MASONIC BUILDING, GOVERNMENT ST.,

je9 1m VICTORIA, B. C.

### ON HING

Dealer in

**Groceries, Dry Goods,**

**Boots and Shoes, Clothing, Hats and Caps HAS REMOVED**

To Johnson street, one door East of Eastman's Butcher Shop.

**Manufactures Drawers, Undershirts, Overalls, etc.,** which he offers for sale by Wholesale and Retail, at Low Rates. je11

**HIGHEST CASH PRICE PAID FOR FURS, HIDES,**

**WOOL, SHEEPSKINS, AND CALFSKINS**

de29 L. & J. BOSCOWITZ, Wharf st.

## Tenders.

### CANADIAN PACIFIC RAILWAY.

PROPOSALS FOR CONSTRUCTION.

THE GOVERNMENT OF CANADA EXpect to be able on or before

**JANUARY, 1877,**

TO INVITE

**Tenders for Building and Working**

The Sections between

*Lake Superior and the Pacific Ocean,*

under the provisions of the Canada Pacific Railway Act, 1874.

This Act (after reciting that it is expedient to provide for the construction of the work as rapidly as it can be accomplished without further raising the rate of taxation) enacts that the Contractors for its construction and working shall receive LANDS, or the proceeds of LANDS, at the rate of 20,000 acres, and cash at the rate of $10,000—for each mile of railway constructed; together with interest at the RATE of four PER CENT., per ANNUM, for TWENTY-FIVE YEARS from the COMPLETION of the WORK, or any further sum which may be stipulated in the contract; and the act requires parties tendering to state, in their offers, the lowest sum, if any, per mile on which such interest will be required.

Copies of the Act, Maps showing the general route so far as at present settled, the published reports of Engineers, and such other information as is now available, can be seen at the Canadian Emigration Agency, in London, England, and at the Public Works Department, Ottawa.

This intimation is given in order to afford to all parties interested the fullest opportunity of examination and enquiry.

By order,

F. BRAUN
Secretary,
Dept. Public Works.

Department of Public Works,
OTTAWA, 29th May, 1876. je27

### PUBLIC NOTICE.

KOOTENAY DISTRICT.

SEALED TENDERS will be received up to 12 o'clock, noon, on the 31st August, 1876, for the right of maintaining a Ferry, for the term of Five (5) Years, across the Kootenay River, at the mouth of the St. Mary's River.

The said Ferry to be capable of carrying not less than six (6) pack animals and their loads.

The Ferry right to extend ten miles above and ten miles below the crossing.

Tenders to state the Rent proposed, and the Rates of Toll for every

Foot Passenger,
Loaded Animal,
Unloaded Animal,
Cattle, Sheep, Hogs, Goats, etc.

All Officers of the Provincial Government, with their animals and freight, to pass free.

The lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted.

Tenders to be addressed to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works and endorsed, "Tender for Kootenay River Ferry.

FORBES GEO. VERNON,
Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works.

Lands and Works Department,
Victoria, June 7th, 1876. je8

### Victoria District.

SEALED TENDERS, endorsed "Tenders for Repairs East Saanich Road," will be received by the undersigned up to 12 o'clock, noon, on Friday, 21st July next, for the construction of certain repairs to the East Saanich Road, between Pearce's and the Prairie Tavern.

Plans and Specifications can be seen, and blank forms of Tender and agreement to execute Bond can be obtained at the office of the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works, and at the Prairie Tavern, South Saanich.

Each Tender must be accompanied by an agreement to execute a bond, duly signed by the Contractor himself, and two other responsible residents of the Province, in a penal sum amounting to $250 for the faithful completion of the work.

Tenders will not be considered unless made strictly in accordance with the printed forms, and in the case of firms except there are attached the actual signature and place of residence of each member of the same.

No Tender will be accepted unless accompanied with an agreement to execute a Bond as above.

The lowest or any Tender not necessarily accepted.

FORBES GEO. VERNON,
Chief Commissioner of Lands & Works.

Lands & Works Department,
Victoria, July 10th, 1876. jy11

### Administrator's Sale.

*Estate of D. B. Seater, deceased.*

TENDERS ARE INVITED FOR THE PURchase of the right of the late D. B. Seater to repair and maintain the ditch or water course now used for carrying a supply of water into the town of Yale for the use of the inhabitants. The right referred to exists by virtue of a lease or charter from the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works, dated 18th April, 1873, and an assignment thereof. Said lease is for a term of 7 years.

Full particulars may be had from A. Rocke Robertson, Barrister, Langley street, Victoria, to whom tenders, marked "Tender for Yale Water Ditch," are to be addressed.

Tenders will be received up to 12 o'clock, m., on the 14th of June, 1876. CHAS. E. POOLEY,
Official Administrator.

23rd May, 1876. my26

### Contract for Supplies to the Royal Navy.

TENDERS WILL BE RECEIVED AT THIS Yard, on behalf of the Lords Commissioners of the Admiralty, on **Monday, 17th July, 1876,** between the hours of **9 a.m. and 5 p.m.,** for the supply of **Tea, Sugar and Sundry other Provisions** for ONE YEAR CERTAIN, from the **1st August, 1876,** and further until the expiration of three months' notice of termination given by either party in writing to the other, which notice shall not be given until the said twelve months shall have expired.

All Tenders must be made in sterling, and the lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted.

Full particulars can be obtained on application between the hours of 9 a. m. and 5 p. m., Saturday afternoons excepted.

JAMES H. INNES,
Naval and Victualling Storekeeper.

Royal Naval Yard,
Esquimalt, 14th June, 1876. je15

### JOHN TEAGUE, Architect.

Cor. Government and Fort Streets.

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YOUNG LADIES'

### BOARDING AND DAY SCHOOL,

FAIRFIELD TERRACE, TOP OF FORT ST.,

VICTORIA, B. C.

THIS INSTITUTION WILL BE REOPENed the 14th of July, 1876. Parents or guardians who may wish to place their wards or daughters as Boarding or Day Scholars will please make timely application.

MADAME PETIBEAU, Principal.

Also—Private French Classes. Terms Moderate.

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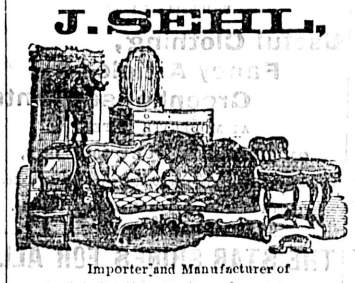
## Miscellaneous.

### J. SEHL,



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**FURNITURE,**

Has just received a large assortment of

ELEGANT WALNUT

**BEDROOM & PARLOR SUITES,**

EXTENSION & CENTRE TABLES,

**Wardrobes, Mirrors,**

Improved Reversible

**BODY PERAMBULATORS, ETC.,**

All of the Latest Styles, which I am enabled to sell

**AT GREATLY REDUCED PRICES**

On account of increased facilities in purchasing direct from manufacturers in the Eastern States.

—ALSO—

**Pictures, Frames, Mouldings, Cornices, Window Blinds, China and Cocoa Matting, Carpets, Door Mats**

**SPRING & OTHER MATTRESSES**

On hand and Made to Order,

Carpets Sewed and Laid, &c.,
Chairs in great variety at prices from 50 cts.
other goods reduced in the same proportion.
Everything Warranted as represented.

**AN INSPECTION OF THE WAREROOMS INVITED.**

ap27 3m J. SEHL, Government St.

### FREDERICK REYNOLDS

FAMILY

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Wholesale and Retail Dealer in

**Meats and Vegetables,**

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THE BEST ASSORTMENT OF ISLAND and Mainland BEEF AND MUTTON constantly on hand.

Hotels, Restaurants and Families supplied at short notice, and Meats delivered FREE OF CHARGE to any part of the City or Suburbs with accuracy and dispatch

☞ Ships and Steamers supplied by contract LOW. ☜

mh10 LONDON MARKET

TAYLOR BROTHERS' MARAVILLA COCOA.—Taylor Brothers, London, having the exclusive supply of this unrivaled Cocoa, invite comparison with any other Cocoa for Purity—fine Aroma—Sanative, Nutritive and Sustaining Power. One trial will establish it as a favourite Beverage for breakfast, luncheon, and a Soothing Refreshment after a late evening. For favourable opinions vide Standard, Morning Post, British Medical Journal, &c , &c.

TAYLOR BROTHERS' HOMŒOPATHIC COCOA.—This original preparation, which has attained such a world-wide reputation, is manufactured by Taylor Brothers, under the ablest homœopathic advice, aided by the skill and experience of the inventors, and will be found to combine in an eminent degree the purity, fine aroma, and nutritous property of the fresh nut.

TAYLOR BROTHERS' SOLUBLE CHOCOLATE, AND COCOA AND MILK, are made in one minute without boiling.

TAYLOR BROTHERS' Chocolate Creams, Chocolate Cream Tablets' Chocolate Drops and Maravilla Chocolate are highly delicious and wholesome.—Packed in a superior and elegant manner.

TAYLOR BROTHERS' MUSTARD.—The 'Challenge' brand (double superfine quality) is celebrated for its pungency, and purity of flavour. Steam Mills, Brick Lane, London. Export Chicory Mills, Bruges, Belgium.

### Ld. Lowenberg,

**Real Estate Agent**

**Government St., near Corner of Broughton.**

WILL PAY PARTICULAR ATTENTION to selling, purchasing and leasing property; in negotiating loans and transacting everything connected with Real Estate business.

Maps of all the different Districts on the Island may be seen at his office. Parties desirous of purchasing homesteads, or making investments, will find on hi Bulletin Board Town Lots on nearly every street Farming or Gardening Land in every District, some, of which affords rare chance for investment.

Money on bond and mortgage to loan in sums to suit the demands.

Conveyances of every description done at reasonable rates. de1

KEATING'S

### BON BONS or WORM TABLETS,

A PURELY VEGETABLE SWEETMEAT, both in appearance and taste, furnishing a most agreeable method of administering the only certain remedy for INTESTINAL or THREAD WORMS. It is a perfectly safe and mild preparation, and is specially adapted for children.

TESTIMONIAL.

"Harpenden, 7th March, 1871.

To Mr. THOMAS KEATING,

"Sm,—My two little girls, aged respectively three and two years, showed symptoms of having worms, so I obtained some of your Worm Bon Bons from Mr. Bushby, and they effected such a thorough cure—in fact, I think, saved their lives. The elder little girl had sixteen worms come from her. I think it my duty to acquaint you with the fact.

"FRED'K, WILLMOTT."

SOLD IN TINS, BY ALL CHEMISTS AND DRUGGISTS.

**THOMAS KEATING, London,**
EXPORT CHEMIST & DRUGGIST,

Indents for pure Drugs and Chemicals carefully executed. ap5w

### FURNITURE.

**CROCKERY, GLASSWARE,**

**Cutlery, Carpets**

And all kinds of

**HOUSE FURNISHING GOODS,**

—AT—

**Mansell & Holroyd's,**

Corner of Yates and Douglas Street.

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**New Custom House Blanks**

FOR SALE IN ANY QUANTITY At the COLONIST OFFICE

## Notices.

### APPOINTMENTS.

PROVINCIAL SECRETARY'S OFFICE,
22nd June, 1876.

HIS EXCELLENCY the Lieutenant-Governor has been pleased to make the following appointments:—

GEORGE COXON, Esquire, to be Assessor and Collector, under the "ASSESSMENT Act, 1876," for the Cache Creek Polling Division of the Electoral District of Yale, vice HENRY PENNANT CORNWALL, Esq.

The following gentlemen to be Collectors under the "School Tax Act, 1876":—

J. C. HUGHES, Esquire, for the Electoral Districts of New Westminster and New Westminster City.

WILLIAM TEAGUE, Esquire, for the Hope and Yale Polling Division of the Electoral District of Yale.

GEORGE COXON, Esquire, for the Lytton and Cache Creek Polling Divisions of the Electoral District of Yale.

CHARLES A. VERNON, Esquire, for the Okanagan Polling Division of the Electoral District of Yale.

JOHN CLAPPERTON, Esquire, for the Nicola Lake Polling Division of the Electoral District of Yale.

JOHN CARMICHAEL HAYNES, Esquire, for the Rock Creek Polling Division of the Electoral District of Yale.

JOHN USSHER, Esquire, for the Kamloops Polling Division of the Electoral District of Yale.

A. W. SMITH, Esquire, for the Electoral District of Lillooet and Williams Lake Polling Division of the Electoral District of Cariboo.

OLIVER HARE, Esquire, for the Keithley Creek Polling Division of the Electoral District of Cariboo.

JOHN BOWRON, Esquire, for the Richfield, Lightning Creek, and Quesnelmouth Polling Divisions of the Electoral District of Cariboo.

CORNELIUS BOOTH, Esquire, for the Electoral District of Kootenay.

BICKNELL GOULD CONEY, Esquire, for the District of Cassiar. je25

### EDUCATION.

CLASSES FOR YOUNG LADIES WILL be commenced on Wednesday, the 20th inst., in the house situated on the corner of Kane and Quadra streets, by competent teachers, under the immediate supervision of the Rev. E. Cridge and Mrs. Cridge.

A class for boys under 8 years of age will also be formed. For particulars apply to

jal4 MRS. CRIDGE.

### Appointments.

PROVINCIAL SECRETARY'S OFFICE,
Victoria, 2nd June, 1876.

HIS EXCELLENCY the Lieutenant-Governor has been pleased to make the following appointments:—

The following gentlemen to be Justices of the Peace:—

HENRY PENNANT CORNWALL, of Ashcroft, Esquire, GEORGE LANDVOIGHT, of Hope, Esquire, both for the Province of British Columbia.

JOHN FALL ALLISON, of Similkameen, Esquire, for the Electoral District of Yale.

8th June, 1876.

CORNELIUS BOOTH, Esquire, to be Gold Commissioner and Stipendiary Magistrate for the Electoral District of Kootenay.

The following gentlemen to be ASSESSORS and Collectors, under the "Assessment Act, 1876," in and for the following Districts, or parts of Districts, described in the said Act:—

J. C. HUGHES, Esquire, for the District of New Westminster.

**District of Yale.**

WILLIAM TEAGUE, Esquire, Hope and Yale Polling Division of the Electoral District of Yale.

GEORGE COXON, Esquire, Lytton Polling Division of the Electoral District of Yale.

HENRY PENNANT CORNWALL, Esquire, Cache Creek Polling Division of the Electoral District of Yale.

CHARLES A. VERNON, Esquire, Okanagan, Polling Division of the Electoral District of Yale.

JOHN CLAPPERTON, Esquire, Nicola Lake Polling Division of the Electoral District of Yale.

JOHN CARMICHAEL HAYNES, Esquire, Rock Creek Polling Division of the Electoral District of Yale.

JOHN USSHER, Esquire, Kamloops Polling Division of the Electoral District of Yale.

A. W. SMITH, Esquire, Electoral District of Lillooet.

**Cariboo District.**

A. W. SMITH, Esquire, Williams Lake Polling Division of the Electoral District of Cariboo.

OLIVER HARE, Esquire, Keithley Creek Polling Division of the Electoral District of Cariboo.

JOHN BOWRON, Esquire, Richfield, Lightning Creek, and Quesnelmouth Polling Divisions of the Electoral District of Cariboo.

CORNELIUS BOOTH Esquire, District of Kootenay.

BICKNELL GOULD CONEY, Esquire, District of Cassiar. je11

### NOTICE.

PARTIES FOUND IN POSSESSION O

**Mules or Horses,**

BELONGING TO THE

CANADIAN PACIFIC RAILWAY SURVEY,

Without written authority after this notice,

WILL BE PROSECUTED ACCORDING TO LAW.

By order MARCUS SMITH.

VICTORIA, 14th Dec., 1874. de15dw

### NOTICE.

THE PARTNERSHIP HERETOFORE EXisting between Chas. H. Trehart and E. F. Hemenover is this day dissolved. All claims against the firm are requested to be sent in to the undersigned before the 4th day of July next.

E. F. HEMENOVER.

Victoria, June 21st, 1876. je22

### NOTICE.

### BRITISH COLUMBIA LOAN ACT, 1876.

SEALED TENDERS for Debentures to be issued under the above Act will be received at the Treasury, Victoria.

Such Tenders may be for any sum not less than $500 (five hundred dollars), or more than $350,000 (three hundred and fifty thousand dollars).

All Tenders to be endorsed, under cover, "Tender for Debentures," and to be addressed to

The Hon. Minister of Finance,
Victoria.

T. BASIL HUMPHREYS,
Finance Minister.

TREASURY, DEPARTMENT,
VICTORIA, July 8th, 1876.
[Guardian and Free Press copy.] jy9

## Notices.

### BILL POSTING.

MR. WELTON, PROPERTY-MAN AT Theatre Royal, will attend to posting and distributing bills of every description in Victoria and vicinity.

Orders may be left at THE COLONIST Office. de2

### TO THE PUBLIC.

AT THE REQUEST OF THE PROPRIEtors of THEATRE ROYAL, we have this day examined that building, and pronounce she same to be perfectly safe for any number of people that may CROWD into it.

JOHN TEAGUE,
EDWARD MALLANDAINE,
THOS. TROUNCE,
Architects.

SMITH & CLARK,
D. F. ADAMS,
HAYWARD & JENKINSON
MUIRHEAD & MANN,
GEORGE BAKER,
P. D. FORBES,
Builders.

Victoria, Feb. 19th, 1876. fe20tf

### NOTICE.

DURING MY ABSENCE FROM THE PROvince Messrs. A. Bossi & Co. are hereby authorized to act as my agents.

Any parties having claims against the undersigned are requested to hand in their accounts at the store of A. Bossi & Co, on or before the 15th inst.; and all parties indebted to me are requested to settle their accounts at once.

CARLO BOSSI.

Victoria, May 4th, 1876. my5 3m*

### DISSOLUTION OF PARTNERSHIP.

THE PARTNERSHIP HERETOFORE EXISTing between Messrs S. L. Kelly and Charles Taylor, of the firm of Kelly & Taylor, Tinsmiths and Hardware Dealers, Yates street, Victoria, is this day dissolved by mutual consent.

The business will be carried on in future under the name of S. L. Kelly & Co.

All parties indebted to the late firm of Kelly & Taylor will please pay the amounts due by them to S. L. Kelly & Co., within 30 days from date; and all parties having claims against the late firm will please send in the same to S. L. KELLY & Co.

Yates St., Victoria, June 13th, 1876. je14

### NOTICE.

HAVING DISPOSED OF MY INTEREST in the business of the late firm of Kelly & Taylor to my former partner Mr. S. L. Kelly, I beg leave to thank the public of Victoria for their patronage, and would recommend that the same be extended to him, as he will be found worthy of it.

CHARLES TAYLOR.

Victoria, June 13th, 1876. je14

### NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS.

TENDERS WILL BE RECEIVED ON JULY 12th, at noon, for the following works in connection with a brick residence to be built in the City of Victoria:

Carpenter and Joiner's Work,
Plasterer's
Tinner and Plumber, Gasfitter, &c.
Painter and Glazier.

Lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted.

JNO. TEAGUE, Architect,
jy1 Cor. Fort and Government sts.

### Public Notice.

PERSONS ADDRESSING LETTERS ON private business to the Honorable Forbes George Vernon, Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works, are requested by the undersigned to endorse the word "Private" on the outside of the envelopes covering such communications.

A. S. FARWELL,
Surveyor-General.

Lands & Works Dept.,
Victoria, March 1st, 1876. mh2dw

PROVINCIAL SECRETARY'S OFFICE,
29th June, 1876.

HIS EXCELLENCY the Lieutenant-Governor has been pleased to make the following appointments, under the "Assessment Act, 1876," in and for the following Districts described in the said Act:

*Victoria District.*

JAMES ELIPHLET MCMILLAN, Esq., to be Assessor and Collector, and CHARLES WENTWORTH WALLACE, Esq., to be Clerk and Assistant Collector, both for the Electoral District of Victoria City.

ROBERT FRANKLIN JOHN, Esq., to be Assessor and Collector for the North and South Saanich, and Lake Polling Divisions of the Electoral District of Victoria.

*District of Nanaimo.*

THOMAS LETT FAWCETT, Esq., to be ASSESSOR and Collector for the Electoral District of Nanaimo.

JOSEPH RODELLO, Esq., to be Assessor and Collector for the Electoral Districts of Comox, and the Districts of Nelson and Newcastle, and Denman and Hornby Island. jy1

PROVINCIAL SECRETARY'S OFFICE,
29th June, 1876.

HIS EXCELLENCY the Lieutenant-Governor has been pleased to make the following appointment:

JAMES ELIPHLET MCMILLAN, Esq., to be Superintendent of Immigration for the City of Victoria. jy1

### NOTICE.

In the matter of the Estate of Jesse Davis, of Dog Creek, B. C., deceased.

ALL PERSONS WHO ARE INDEBTED to the above Estate are required to pay the amounts due forthwith; and all persons who have any claims against the said estate are required to send in their accounts on or before the 5th day of September, 1876, to

WM. LAING MEASON, J. P.,
Official Administrator.

Little Dog Creek, June 5th, 1886. je11d&3m

### Appointments.

PROVINCIAL SECRETARY'S OFFICE,
29th June, 1876.

HIS EXCELLENCY the Lieutenant Governor has been pleased to place the following gentlemen on the Commission of the Peace, in and for the Electoral District of Victoria:

WILLIAM REAY, of North Saanich, Esquire.
JOHN SINCLAIR, of Cadboro Bay, Esquire. jy1

### Public Notice.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, that the appointment of J. C. HAYNES, Esquire, as Assistant Commissioner of Lands, for the purpose of carrying out the provisions of the "Land Act, 1874," in the Osoyoos Division of the Land Recording District of Yale, dated 18th June, 1874, is hereby rescinded.

FORBES GEO. VERNON,
Chief Commissioner of Lands & Works

Lands and Works Department,
Victoria, 6th July, 1876. jy9

### Public Notice.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, that CHARLES A. VERNON, Esquire, of Coldstream, Okanagan, is authorized to act as Assistant Commissioner of Lands, for the purpose of carrying out the provisions of the "Land Act, 1875," in the Osoyoos Division of the Land Recording District of Yale.

FORBES GEO. VERNON,
Chief Commissioner of Lands & Works.

Lands and Works Department,
Victoria, 6th July, 1876. jy9

PROVINCIAL SECRETARY'S OFFICE,
July 7th, 1876.

WILLIAM LAING MEASON, Esq., of little Dog Creek, was, on the 8th April last, gazetted a Justice of the Peace, in error as WILLIAM MEASON, Esq., of Dog Creek. jy9

### NOTICE.

FROM AND AFTER THIS DATE I WILL only accept **Coin for Rent,** as well as for other Payments to be made to me.

de30 LD. LOWENBERG.

# Daily British Colonist.

THURSDAY MORNING, JULY 13TH, 1876.

L. P. FISHER, 20 and 21 New Merchants' Exchange is our authorized Agent in San Francisco.


## Esquimalt as a Naval Station.

"The influence of the Dominion Government will be used to secure the continued maintenance of the naval station at Esquimalt."—*Terms of Union, art.* 9.

In the session of 1874-5 a member of the Local House put this question to the Leader of the (then) Government: "What steps, if any, have the Government taken to secure the practical fulfilment of the 9th clause of the Terms of Union between Canada and British Columbia?" The answer received was that no correspondence between the Provincial and Dominion Governments had taken place on the subject since the summer of 1872, when the McCreight Government deemed it their duty to draw the attention of the authorities at Ottawa to the very large reduction that had taken place in the number of war vessels maintained at Esquimalt since Confederation. We believe we are correct in the statement that the entire official life of the Government that was lately bundled into the street by outraged Public Opinion passed away without any dispatches having transpired between them and the Ottawa Government on the subject; notwithstanding that more cause of complaint existed during their term of office than during the term of the McCreight Administration. For the past eight months and a-half Esquimalt has almost ceased to be a place of 'rendezvous' for Her Majesty's ships. During that long period the gunboat Rocket has been the only war ship on duty there; and the first arrival on the station was H. M. corvette Amethyst, which came in a few days ago. The flagship Repulse, which came late in the summer, remained but a few weeks, and the Admiral distinguished himself by detaching a ship that was specially intended for service at Esquimalt and dispatching her to Honolulu, where she has since remained beyond call in case of sudden necessity. When news of the wreck of the steamship Pacific—the recollection of which will always cause a heart-pang to this community—reached Victoria there was no war vessel at Esquimalt (the Rocket having been dispatched on special and important duty to the West Coast) to render assistance. Had the Myrmidon or some other war vessel been in port at the time it is safe to say that some valuable lives might have been saved of the many who, there is reason to believe, floated about on fragments of the wreck for many hours and at last perished miserably almost within sight of their homes and friends. That dread disaster showed that for the protection of life and property from shipwreck there should never be less than two well-equipped war vessels on this station. At the present moment, in view of the disturbed state of Europe and the probability that the Mother Country will be drawn into the struggle, it is especially desirable for the safety of the towns of Esquimalt and Victoria, and the preservation from destruction of the enormous quantity of naval stores at the Dockyard, that there should be an immediate and large addition to the number of war vessels on this station. We read that all the idle merchant steamvessels now lying in British home ports have been provisionally chartered to carry troops and munitions of war to the Mediterranean; that the fortifications of Malta and Gibraltar are being strengthened; that there are eighteen British ironclads or other men-of-war already in the Eastern Mediterranean; that the Channel Squadron, consisting of seven ironclads (including the Devastation, the most powerful war vessel afloat and fitted for service) are moving in the same direction; that Government dockyards are extraordinarily active in the preparation of additional ironclads and gunboats, and the Sultan (commander H. R. H. the Duke of Edinburgh) has been ordered to join the Mediterranean squadron and is now at Gibraltar. What do all these preparations portend if they do not mean that Great Britain deems that war is a probable event in the near future? and who shall dare to say that the nation who "in time of peace prepares for war" is foolish and panicky, when the experience of the past has shown that preparation is the best preventive? Now, if England conceives it to be her duty to put such places as Malta and Gibraltar in a state of complete defence, it is only necessary that her attention should be called to the defenceless condition of the Pacific Province to induce her to take immediate steps to provide for its protection, by the concentration at Esquimalt of most of the war ships now scattered over the face of the Pacific where there is very little British property to protect. Before Confederation there were seldom less than than three and frequently six ships of war maintained at Esquimalt. The ironclad Zealous, during the Fenian troubles, lay nearly two years here, and her presence was considered at the time to have prevented a raid on the banks. If a heavy naval force was required at that time, the present necessity is far greater.

As we have shown by the extract we have made from the Terms of Union the Canadian Government is obligated to use its influence with the British Government for the continuance of Esquimalt as a Naval Station in fact as well as in name.

The Local Government—with the forethought which has characterized its every act—has doubtless anticipated this article by representing at Ottawa the almost defenceless state in which the station was left for the best part of a year, and it is probable that the requirements of the Province will not be overlooked during the struggle that seems to be approaching in Europe. There is one matter, however, to which we would wish to draw the attention of citizens and officials. It is the facility that is afforded for desertion on this station. Every good citizen ought to do his utmost to put down crimps and crimping. It is all very well to capture poor Jack, after he has shown an unmistakeable disposition to run, off for the sake of the reward; but the Police should place the houses that crimps are known to frequent under surveillance, and all suspicious characters should be taken into custody and made to give an account of themselves. What is easier than for a crimp to make Jack half-drunk, provide him with a suit of civilian's clothes, and either assist him to get clear off for a money consideration, or (if the sailor's money be all spent) slip round and inform the Police for the sake of one-half of the reward? We fear that this practice has been followed to an alarming extent, and that the depletion of crews—which has been a fruitful cause of complaint from the Naval authorities—might have been greatly checked had more attention been paid to the movements of crimps while the sailors were on shore. Crimping is an infamous and serious crime, and the penalty is heavy. The Magistrate should decline to deal with men brought before him charged with enticing sailors to desert, and should send them up for trial before a higher Court, while the Police should be instructed to exercise increased vigilance in rooting out bad characters.

## The Wagon-road, the Lands & Works, and the Opposition Press.

If any one act of the Government affords them more reason for self-congratulation than another it is the promptness with which they have sprung to the task of repairing the Yale-Cariboo wagon-road. Large gangs of men are now at work under competent heads on the bridges and cribbing, and the Chief Commissioner who went to the Suspension Bridge with a strong party last week returned yesterday and reports the work progressing rapidly. The teamsters and people all along the line of road are "greatly pleased thereat;" and the heartiness with which the efforts of the Government have been seconded by all classes is the best proof of the value of their services. Of course, it was not to be expected that the so-called Opposition Press would remain idle while the Government were earning fresh laurels by the faithful discharge of their duties; hence we find the Westminster "Herald"—a paper that is popularly believed to be the happy possessor of a crotchety brain—arraigning the Chief Commissioner for "importing" workmen from the Island; and the "Standard" (a feeble echo of the "Herald") thinks it sniffs in the energy of the Chief Commissioner a "political job." Let us see how far these strictures will harmonize with the facts? Thirty-two white men were engaged at Victoria because the road-bosses, finding it impossible to procure sufficient white labor, had been forced to put on—in addition to 42 white laborers—some Chinamen. Most of the 32 men were Canadian axemen and bridgemakers who landed from the mail steamer the day before, and could not have been as the ("Standard" charges) "political hangers-on." They were all that could be got together in a hurry, and with them the Chief Commissioner departed for Westminster. On arriving there he was told that there were several laborers wanting employment and he at once engaged four additional hands and with the entire force proceeded on to Yale. Now, it was reported at Westminster and at Victoria at least a fortnight ago that laboring men were wanted on the Yale road. We noted the fact and if the "Herald" had done its duty it would have informed its readers as well. But it is so absorbed with attacks on the "other paper" and in abusing the Government that it seems to have neither time nor space to devote to the material progress of the people of its district. Hence we find that in place of the local laborers proceeding on to Yale in search of work they were allowed by the "Herald" to remain at Westminster in blissful ignorance that Mr. Neil Black and Mr. Stevenson were hiring Chinamen and sending by express and wire to Victoria for "More men! More men!" A year ago, when the wagon-road was crumbling to pieces beneath the feet of the teams because of Government neglect, the *Herald* failed to draw attention to the fact. And when our late Mongolian Chief Commissioner imported three hundred and fifty Chinamen—aliens in race and religion—into Westminster District to carry away nine-tenths of the road-money to the exclusion of white labor, the *Herald* had never a word to say of the evils of "imported" labor. No; it is only when the "imported" labor happens to be *white* that any objection is heard from the *Herald*. Thanks to the energy and forethought of the Chief Commissioner loaded teams will leave Yale for Cariboo in three weeks' time and provisions at Cariboo which bid fair to reach starvation rates will have to tumble to living rates. Let the *Herald* and *Standard* do their "level best" to prevent it, the Government will do its duty, and the country will progress under its wise and energetic rule.

DENTISTRY.—Dr. Calder has now returned from New Westminster and will be happy to attend to his old patients and to many new ones. *


## New Advertisements.

THE HUDSON BAY CO.'S STEAMER

**OTTER,**

CAPTAIN.....McCULLOCH,

Will leave for Fort Wrangel on or about **Tuesday the 18th inst.**

Freight will not be received after 5 p. m. on Saturday next.

The Purser must be furnished with an invoice of all goods for Cassiar, otherwise they will be detained at Wrangel.

For Particulars as to Freight and Passage, apply on board. jy13

**SALE OF WORK.**

THE BISHOP'S CLOSE

**LADIES' WORKING PARTY.**

Will hold a Sale of

**Useful Clothing, Fancy Articles & Greenhouse Plants**

AT MODERATE RATES,

ON THURSDAY, JULY 20th, 1876,

In the Boys' Collegiate School, from 2 to 8 o'clock.

Proceed to be devoted to Missionary objects. jy12

**THE STAR SHINES FOR ALL!**

Three doors South of the Postoffice,

Government Street,

— AT THE —

**STAR RESTAURANT!**

Where Meals are Furnished at all Hours of the Day and Night. CHARGES MODERATE.

WINES, LIQUORS AND CIGARS AT THE BAR.

jy12 HENRY WARNER, Prop.

British Columbia Agricultural and Horticultural Society.

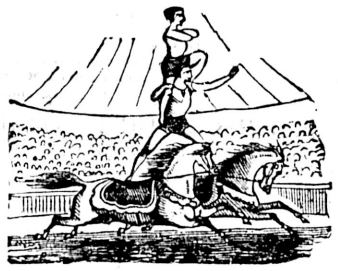
A GENERAL MEETING OF THE MEMbers of this society will be held in the City Council Chambers, Victoria, on Saturday the 15th inst., at 2 o'clock p.m. By order,

THOS. RUSSELL, Secty.

Victoria, July 10th, 1876. jy11dw

GREAT

**ITALIAN CIRCUS**



New Faces, New Features, New Costumes, New Equipments, New Paraphernalia, etc. The best appointed Circus now traveling.

**FINEST SHOW IN THE WORLD!**

**On Friday & Saturday Eve. July 14th & 15th,**

**And MATINEE Saturday Afternoon**

**LOOK AT OUR ARRAY of TALENT**

THE GREAT WATRIGAN FAMILY,

Six in number, the only family of thorough Gymnasts and Acrobats in the true sense, that have ever traveled.

THE FAMOUS

JOHNSON BROTHERS,

The most wonderful and startling Trapeze Performers that have ever been seen.

SIG. JUAN DEVINI,

The Great Italian Hurdle Rider and Bareback Somersaulter.

LORRAINE & SEXTON,

The most pleasing and Comic Clowns that have ever entered the Arena.

LOUIS RANDOLPH,

The Champion Slack Wire Pedestrian.

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Most pleasing Vaulter and Tumbler.

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The great principal four-horse rider.

FRANK FINCK,

Spinning-Plate and Globe Artist.

WILLIE HART & SADIE BIRD,

The great double and single Contortionists.

MISS. MILLIE ESTERLE,

Lady Bareback Rider and Somersault Acrobat.

MADAME CULLEN,

Introducing her finely educated Arabian Stallion.

To conclude with an interesting

**French Pantomime.**

ADMISSION, One Dollar. Children half-price. Doors open at 7; performance to commence at 8. MATINEE on Saturday afternoon.

jy22 OSCAR GRIFFITHS, Agent.

**GRAND RAFFLE**

—AT—

**LOVETT'S SALOON,**

ON THE NIGHT OF

**July the 15th, 1876.**

**A 5 1-2 CARAT DIAMOND**

VALUED AT $1,000,

— AND A —

**COTTAGE PIANO**

VALUED AT $250.

**500 CHANCES AT $2 50 Each.**

The highest throw takes the Diamond or

**$900 in Gold Coin**

on the night of the Raffle; the lowest throw takes the Piano.

Three well-known gentlemen will be appointed to supervise the Raffle.

Tickets to be paid for before the Raffle comes off, or they will be cancelled.

The Diamond can be seen and tickets had at Rudolph's.

☞ No one bored to death to purchase tickets.

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**CLARET.**

NOW LANDING, EX CHARLOTTE CLARKE, from Bordeaux direct, a large consignment of

PRELLER'S

**CELEBRATED CLARET**

In Barrels, Half-Barrels and Cases.

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## New Advertisements.

**NEW GOODS**

**HENRY SHORT,**

**Gun & Rifle Maker,**

**FORT ST., opp. Scotch House.**

Has received from London direct, a Large Assortment of

**DOUBLE AND SINGLE BARRELLED GUNS,**

**Central Fire Breech-Loaders,**

**FISHING TACKLE IN GREAT VARIETY,**

Pocket and Sporting Cutlery, Powder Flasks, Shot Pouches, Game Bags, Cartridge Belts, Apparatus for Filling Cartridges for Breech-loaders and a full assortment of Gun Tackle.

GUNS MADE TO ORDER. REPAIRING NEATLY EXECUTED.

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Wholesale and Retail

**BUTCHERS**

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YOUR FAVORS SOLICITED.

VICTORIA, Sept. 17, 1875. my5

## Auction Sales

**Trade Auction Sale.**

J. P. DAVIES & CO.

Will sell by Public Auction at Salesroom, Wharf st.,

**Tuesday, July 18th, at 11 o'clk a.m.**

**Cassimeres, Broadcloths, Piece Goods 50 doz. assorted Hats.**

ALSO—Ex Charlotte Clark—Direct Importations—a straight invoice of Assorted HATS.

**Custom Made Clothing, Furnishing Goods, Yankee Notions, Tailors' Goods.**

Blue and Black Broadcloths, fancy striped Cassimeres; Tweeds, single and double widths; Suits, Pants and Vests, and Coat lengths.

**Furnishing Goods.**

Extra fine white Shirts, Garden City fancy do., narrow and broad pleet do., white shaker do., scarlet Shirts and Drawers, Braces and Suspenders, very fine flannel Overshirts, cloth Overshirts, cass. asst. Overshirts, white and fancy Handkerchiefs, brown Overalls, duck Jumpers and Pants, merino Shirts and Drawers, velvet Ribbons, blue, white and brown cotton Socks, lambswool and Shaker Socks, Cardigan Jackets, Neckties, cotton Handkerchefs.

**Custom Made Clothing.**

Fine Cassimere Pants, French Doeskins, English tweed and stripe cassimere Pants, Gent's dress, frock and business Coats, ASST. DESIRABLE VESTS, Jackets and Overcoats, extra fine Gent's Cassimere Suits, 160 DOZ. STRAW AND FELT HATS & ASST. CAPS,

Ex Charlotte Clark, from London.

28 doz assorted Caps, 20 doz. assorted Felt Hats, 6 doz. Panama Hats, 20 doz. Ladies, Misses and Children's Hats, 76 doz. blk Canadian, St. John, Cobden, Cheltenham, Derry, Napoleon, Drab, Milan with feathers, Velvet, Velvet Tar, Black and Drab Orpheus with feathers, Bertie, Sydenham, Cheltenham, Canton Boating, Pearl, super. white ventilators & straw.

**Fancy Goods.**

Grey Over Shirts, Shawls, Scarfs, fancy calico Wrappers, printed wrapper, fancy and hemmed white Handkerchiefs, Velvet Ribbons, dress and pearl Buttons, Children's Socks, etc., etc., etc.

TERMS AT SALE. J. P. DAVIES & CO.,

jy9 Auctioneers.

**BARNARD'S EXPRESS.**

HIGH WATER HAVING SUBSIDED, PASsengers for Cariboo, Okanagon and way places may now leave Victoria by steamer Enterprise

**Every FRIDAY Morning.**

Express Freight for New Westminster, Yale and abovenamed points received at this office up to Thursday at 6:30 p.m. Local Express for New Westminster and Yale closes every Monday at same hour.

F. J. BARNARD & CO.

Yates street, 8th July 1876. jy9

**Strawberries!**

ALL PERSONS WISHING TO BE SUPplied with Strawberries for the Season will please advise the subscriber at once.

Orders will receive prompt attention, and all freight and charges will be paid to Victoria

WM. CLARKSON,

je2 New Westminster.

**Y. M. C. A.**

**EXCURSION TO PEDDER BAY.**

On Saturday, 22nd July.

THE COMMITTEE OF THE Y. M. C. Association have chartered the

**Steamer ISABEL**

— FOR AN —

**EXCURSION TO PEDDER BAY!**

The steamer will leave her wharf at 9 o'clock a. m. and return same day, leaving Pedder Bay at 5 p. m.

Every effort will be made by the Committee to render this excursion agreeable. There will be music on board the steamer, and on the grounds arrangements will be made for games.

Excursionists will take their own provisions with them.

Tickets for a lady and gentleman, $1 50; single gentlemen, $1; and for children under 12 years, 25 cents.

Tickets can be had at Messrs. Hibben & Co, and Mr. W. Harrison, Government street; from the Librarian at the Association Hall, Yates street; and of the members of the Committee:

Thos. Trounce, Esq.; W. McKay, Esq.; J. E. McMillan, Esq.; Senator Macdonald, John Robson, Esq; D. Lindsay, Esq.; A. Vipond, Esq.; John Finlayson, Esq. jy9

**RECEPTION of LORD DUFFERIN**

A PUBLIC MEETING WILL BE HELD at the Philharmonic Hall next **Thursday Evening, the 13th inst., at 8 o'clock,** to take steps for the reception of Lord Dufferin.

All citizens and residents of the Districts are invited to attend. jy7

**GINGER ALE & LEMONADE.**

JUST RECEIVED BY CHARLOTTE CLARKE, a further shipment of

RAWLINGS' LONDON

**GINGER ALE AND LEMONADE.**

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## For Sale—To Let.

**TO LET.**

CRAIGMOORE COTTAGE, HANDSOMEfurnished, containing seven rooms and store room; having gas and gas fixtures throughout; a good garden and desirably and pleasantly situated.

Apply on the Premises, Pandora street, between Blanchard and Quadra, from noon until 3 p.m., or to ROBERT BEAVEN,

jy11 1m Real Estate Agent, Masonic Hall Building.

**RAM FOR SALE.**

A WELL-BRED SOUTHDOWN RAM WILL be sold at Public Auction at Cloverdale on Saturday the 15th inst, at 11 a m.

jy9 1w W. F. TOLMIE.

**FOR SALE.**

A QUANTITY OF BLACK CURRANTS, Potatoes and Hay. Orders may be left at GEO. RICHARDSON'S,

jy8 1m Victoria Hotel, Government street.

**Homestead for Sale—James Bay.**

A THREE-ROOMED HOUSE, WITH ONE Acre of Land under crop, for sale cheap. Apply to T. ALLSOP & CO.,

je27 Government street.

**BUSINESS FOR SALE.**

A GOOD HOTEL AND BAR BUSINESS can be obtained at a reasonable price in consequence of the failing health of the present proprietor compelling him to retire from the same.

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**To Be Let Furnished.**

PARLOR AND BEDROOM, WITH ONE or two Beds, in a healthy locality, within five minutes' walk of the Postoffice, Victoria. Apply at

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**FOR SALE.**

A NEWLY-ERECTED VILLA RESIDENCE within the City of Victoria, together with two Acres of first-class land. House was built by the owner for his own residence and contains Drawing-room, 14x15; Diningroom, 15x12 6; 2 Bedrooms, one 14x15, other 10 6 x 10 6; Kitchen, 12x15; Scullery, 12x12; Dairy, Pantry, Dry Earth Closet, and large Cellerage, Well of good Water. Outhouses consist of Stable (3 stalls), Piggery, Chicken-house, open Shed and Hayloft. Grounds partly planted as orchard and partly under crops. Anyone requiring a good homestead in a very pleasant part of the town will find this a rare opportunity. The owner's health compels him to leave for England. Half the money may remain on Mortgage. Apply at

je17dw1m THIS OFFICE.

**FOR SALE.**

A SEVEN-ROOMED HOUSE, WITH Pantry, Store-room and Out-houses complete. Well of Good Water and two Lots well stocked with Fruit Trees, situate on North Park St., Victoria. For particulars apply at

my30 THE COLONIST OFFICE.

**FOR SALE.**

THE OLD-ESTABLISHED HALF-WAY House and Brewery on the Esquimalt Road. Apply on the premises to

no18 JAMES BLAND.

## Wanted.

**Teacher Wanted.**

APPLICATIONS FOR THE SITUATION of Teacher at Cedar Hill will be received up to Friday evening, 21st inst.

A first-class teacher with a family preferred, as the lady will be expected to give the girls attending the school lessons in needlework, etc. Salary $70 per month.

GEORGE DEANS,

jy12 Sec.-Treas. Trustee Board.

**Wanted.**

A FIRST-CLASS HORSESHOER.

jy6 3t Apply to W. C. BRYANT, Johnson street.

**Teamster Wanted.**

A GOOD ONE (SOBER AND STEADY) can get constant employment. Apply by letter to J. ROGERS, Burrard Inlet.

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**PARTNER WANTED.**

A PARTNER, WITH A CASH CAPITAL of $3,000 to $5,000, is wanted to purchase an interest in a business already established and doing a profitable trade at a flourishing town in this Province. Address "CAPITAL," at THE COLONIST OFFICE. je27dw1m

**Wanted.**

ABLE AND ORDINARY SEAMEN for the ship Black Eagle, bound for San Francisco via Nanaimo. Apply to

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**J. FINLAYSON,**

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**Tea and Coffee Dealer,**

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BEST JAVA COFFEE FRESH ROASTED and ground daily.

Goods delivered to any part of the city. je10

**Cassiar Express**

WILL LEAVE FOR THE VARIOUS Creeks in Cassiar every Steamer to Fort Wrangel. Packages and letters left with Wells, Fargo & Co., will be forwarded.

Treasure shipped to Victoria and San Francisco.

J. JOHNSTON,

Agent for BRITISH COLONIST Newspaper. ap27

**St. Ann's Convent School.**

THE PUBLIC EXAMINATION OF THE above institution will take place on Thursday next the 13th inst., commencing at 9 o'clock. jy9

## Ships and Steamers.

**FOR THE CASSIAR MINES.**

THE O.S.S. CO'S STEAMSHIP

**CALIFORNIA,**

JOHN A. GARDINER, Master.

Will leave Victoria for Fort Wrangel and Sitka on or about

**FRIDAY, AUGUST 4th.**

For Passage, Freight and Stock apply to

J. P. GOODHUE, Agent O.S.S.Co.,

jy12 Office, Wharf street.

**The Charlotte Clark, from London.**

THIS VESSEL WILL BEGIN TO DIScharge the Victoria portion of cargo at Engelhard's wharf on Monday morning the 10th instant.

Consignees are requested to call at our office and pay freight and wharfage and receive delivery orders.

All goods left on the wharf after 6 o'clock on each day will be at the risk and expense of their owners.

SPROAT & CO.,

jy9 Wharf street, Agents for Ship.

**Bark Charlotte Clark, from London.**

NEITHER CAPT. COLLIER NOR THE undersigned will be responsible for any debts contracted by the crew of the above vessel.

SPROAT & CO., Wharf St.

Victoria, July 1st, 1876. jy2

**Brig Pomare, from Honolulu.**

NEITHER CAPT. HATFIELD NOR THE undersigned Agents of the brig Pomare, from Honolulu, will be responsible for any debts contracted by her Officers or Crew.

WELCH, RITHET & CO.

Wharf st., Victoria, June 29, 1876. je30

**NOTICE.**

**Bark "Nelly" from Coquimbo.**

NEITHER CAPT. WILLIAMS NOR THE undersigned will be responsible for any debts contracted by the crew of the above vessel.

WELCH, RITHET & CO.

26th June, 1876. je27 Agents.

**NOTICE.**

NEITHER THE CAPTAIN NOR OWNERS of the ship Annie Gray will be responsible for any debts contracted by the crew or officer without written orders from R. MOORE,

je27 Master Annie Gray.

**NOTICE.**

NEITHER THE CAPTAIN NOR OWNERS of the bark Forward will be responsible for any debts contracted by the crew or officers without written orders from CAPT. STRACHAN,

je27 Bark Forward.

**NOTICE.**

THE STEAMER

**VICTORIA,**

—FROM—

**SODA CREEK TO QUESNELLE**

Will commence running about May 1st, making Weekly trips.

**Will leave Soda Creek Thursday Morning, or on arrival of the Stage.**

**Will leave Quesnelle Sunday, 3 p.m., or on arrival of the Down Mail.**

**FREIGHT.**

From Soda Creek to Stanley or Vanwinkle, 2½ cents per pound.

To Barkerville 2½ cents per pound, without any charge for Forwarding, Storage or Commission.

From Soda Creek to Cottonwood Canyon (if offered in sufficient quantity) at $20 per ton.

☞ I will not hold myself responsible for damage to or from Oils or Liquids shipped in tin or glass; or for unavoidable detention caused by breaking of bridges or roadsides, or loss or damage to goods through any other contingency beyond my control, unless by special contract made in writing in respect or such goods at the time of shipment.

Address A. S. BATES,

Steamer Victoria, Soda Creek or Quesnelle.

I will have Teams in readiness to transport Merchandise from Quesnelle to the abovementioned places. A. S. BATES.

SODA CREEK, April 8, 1876. ap18

**INCREASE OF STEAM SERVICE**

**On the East Coast.**

UNTIL FURTHER NOTICE THE STEAMER

**CARIBOO-FLY,**

Will make a **Second Trip** to Nanaimo every alternate week, said second trip being **direct** and not touching at way ports, leaving Spratt's Wharf on

**Tuesdays and Fridays at 7 a.m.**

To commence Tuesday, May 30th. my27

**NO MONOPOLY.**

THE STEAMER

**"GEM,"**

CAPTAIN GEO. ODIN,

Will make regular trips during the entire season from Fort Wrangle to Glenora Landing.

**Freight and Passage at Lowest Rates.**

Apply on board, or to

my16 CHAS. T. MILLARD.

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FROM QUEBEC TO

**Liverpool, Glasgow and Londonderry, Sailing every Saturday,**

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**Baltimore to Liverpool or Queenstown every Alternate Wednesday.**

**Cabin $50; Steerage $28.**

RETURN TICKETS AT REDUCED RATES.

Persons wishing to send for their friends from England, Ireland or Scotland can purchase tickets good for one year at Lowest Rates.

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**FOR YALE AND WAY PORTS.**

THE STEAMER

**"RELIANCE,"**

CAPT. JOHN IRVING,

**Carrying H. M. Mails,**

Will leave New Westminster on the 1st April, and will make regular trips until further notice every

**WEDNESDAY AND SATURDAY,**

**Leaving Yale every Monday and Friday.**

For Freight or Passage

mh23 APPLY ON BOARD.


## MUNICIPAL NOTICE.

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that all persons holding land within the City limits upon which thistles are growing are hereby notified to have the said Thistles destroyed by the 7th July, proximo, and in default of so doing the provisions of the "Thistle Bylaw, 1870," will be enforced. By order of the Mayor and Council.

WILLIAM LEIGH, C. M. C.

Victoria, June 27, 1876. je30

## NOTICE.

A COUNTY COURT will be held at the Court House, at Cowichan District, as defined in the Schedule to the "Constitution Act, 1871," on Wednesday, the 19th day of July next, at 11 o'clock a.m.

Plaints can be entered with John Morley, Esquire, who has been appointed a Clerk of the Court, under the "County Court Ordinance, 1867."

Dated 10th day of June, 1876.

A. F. PEMBERTON,

je11 County Court Judge.


**Ex Charlotte Clark.**

**DUNVILLE WHISKEY,**

In quarter casks, octaves and cases.

FOR SALE BY

FINDLAY, DURHAM & BRODIE.

Wharf street, 8th June, 1876. jy9 2w

# Daily British Colonist

THURSDAY MORNING, JULY 13TH, 1876.


## Marine Intelligence.

PORT OF VICTORIA, BRITISH COLUMBIA.

ENTERED.

July 12—str Eliza Anderson, Pt Townsend
str Enterprise, New Westminster

CLEARED.

July 12—str Eliza Anderson, Pt Townsend
sch Orcas, Pt Townsend

DEATHS.

On the 12th July, at Hillside, Victoria, Mary Eleanor, aged 2 years and 8 months, the beloved child of Mr. and Mrs. Charles S. Jones.

## City Council.

WEDNESDAY, July 12th.

WATER REFUND.

A communication from Messrs. Loewen & Erb, dated January 5th, 1876, requesting a refund for cost of laying water pipes was taken up for re-consideration.

Sixty dollars was ordered to be allowed the firm.

BURNING RUBBISH.

The Chief Engineer of the Fire Department informed the Council that he had examined the fire caused by the burning of rubbish at Chatham street near the Albion Foundry; that it could not be extinguished without opening the ground, nor by water except put on in very large quantities.

The Poundkeeper was ordered to dig a trench around the fire, which would then be extinguished by the aid of the Fire Department.

BAPTIST CHURCH.

The Rev. Mr. Carnes was granted permission to use a portion of Pandora street for the purpose of erecting a church for the Baptists of this city.

WEIGHING MACHINE.

The City Surveyor reported the Corporation weighing machine complete and in use. Several loads had already been weighed at a cost of 50 cents each.

THE MAGAZINE.

Coun. Trounce asked if any information had been received from the ammunitionist of H. M. S. Amethyst relative to the magaze proposed to be erected at James Bay.

His Worship said that the ammunitionist had been communicated with, but as yet no answer had been received.

FINANCIAL.

Coun. Marvin asked if the promised quarterly financial statement of the Corporation had been prepared.

The Clerk replied that the document would be presented next meeting.

Coun. Williams moved to re-consider the resolution of the Council dismissing Mr. Larkin from the position of damkeeper at the Water Works. Seconded by Coun. Vigelius.

Coun. Trounce opposed the resolution on the grounds that Larkin was not competent.

The City Surveyor said that six valves had been broken since Larkin had been in charge, and after a lengthy discussion the motion was carried and the matter was laid over for two weeks for investigation as to cause of alleged damage and necessity of appointing an officer in Larkin's place.

Council then went into committee.

## Arrival of the French Corvette Siegnelay.

The French corvette Seignelay, commanded by Post-captain Aube, arrived in Esquimalt harbor yesterday afternoon at 2 o'clock.' She is a wooden vessel of 1100 tons register and carries 8 guns. Her engines are 450 horse power and her complement of men numbers 210. She is bark rigged and what is commonly termed in English a "double-ender." Left San Francisco on the 8th inst., and made the passage up under steam, using, however, only two of her six boilers. Her appointments are in every respect excellent. She reports the iron-clad turret-ship Le Lagalissonniere, commanded by Admiral Perigot, still at San Francisco. On the day of his intended departure for Esquimalt, the Admiral received orders to sail for the Marquesas, whither he will proceed on Monday next. The Lagalissonniere is mounted with six heavy guns and is considered a powerful war vessel. The following is a list of the Seignelay's officers:—

Post-Captain Aube, commanding.
Capitaine de frigate—Mons. Mandine.
First Lieutenant—De Gironde.
Second—Valette.
Third—Lafontaine.
Fourth—Andrac.
Fifth—Gontault.
Ensign—Berryer.
Surgeon—Toulon.
Assistant Surgeon—Vaysse.
Paymaster—Dufaur.
Midshipmen — MM. Mourre, Dubois, Harel, and de Kerraoul

The Seignelay will remain at Esquimalt eight days, and having coaled will sail for the Marqueses there to join Admiral Perigot in command of the Lagalissonniere. Mons. Jules Ferry, Acting French Consul, visited the Seignelay on her arrival at Esquimalt yesterday.

COAL SHIPMENTS.—The shipments from Nanaimo for the six months ending June 30th were as follows:

VANCOUVER COAL CO.

Tons foreign, 31,166; tons domestic, 9,542,10. Total 40,708,10.

WELLINGTON COLLIERY.

Tons foreign, 31,181; tons domestic, 2,853,10, Total 34,034,10.

HAREWOOD COLLIERY.

Months May and June (commencing), tons 2,102. Grand total, 76,845 tons.

FOR PORT TOWNSEND. — The steamer Isabel arrived here last evening from Nanaimo with coal, and will sail this morning at 8 o'clock for Port Townsend, connecting with the steamer Annie Stewart and returning in the evening with the mails, freight and passengers.

SYNOD.—The session of the Church of England Synod commences at 10:30 this morning with divine service at Christ Church Cathedral, the Right Rev. Bishop Wistar Morris, of Oregon, preaching the inaugural sermon.

WEIGHING MACHINE.—The Corporation weighing machine has been erected and was used yesterday for the first time. The Council will fix a scale of fees chargeable.

OFFICIAL.—Hon. David Eckstien visited H. M. S. Amethyst, yesterday, and was accorded the usual salute.

## City Police Court.

[Before His Honor H. C. Courtney.]

WEDNESDAY, July 12, 1876.

Hy Cante, Wm. Feast and H. Jones appeared on remand charged with desertion from H. M. S. Amethyst.

Superintendent Todd, sworn, deposed that from information received he proceeded on Monday last in company with officer Lindsay to Parker's farm, Metchosin, where he found the prisoners and another seaman. They were in a trap and had with them a quantity of clothing recently purchased, some biscuits and cheese and a bottle of gin. They were accused of desertion and when about to be arrested resisted himself and officer Lindsay. One of the seamen escaped, but the three prisoners were arrested. At first they pleaded that they were out on a picnic but subsequently one of them said, "What is the good of denying it, let's own up that we meant to desert."

Charlie Williams, sworn, deposed that on Monday afternoon he saw the prisoners at Campbell's corner. He asked them if they were going down to Esquimalt. They said "No;" they were going to Beecher Bay. He remarked that he thought they were going to desert and heard Geo. Gibbs [accused of assisting prisoners to desert—Rep.] asking where Beecher Bay was. Frank Campbell told him it was a little this side of Race Rocks.

J. Wilson deposed to selling prisoners a quantity of clothing on Monday last. [Clothing produced in Court and identified].

J. Russell deposed that Gibbs had come to him and asked where Beecher Bay was; had also mentioned something about a canoe and Cadboro Bay. There were no sailors present at the time.

A sub-Lieut. of H.M.S. Amethyst identified the prisoners as belonging to that vessel.

The prisoners being asked what they had to say for themselves pleaded that they were merely out for a picnic; that they had no knowledge that there was any restriction as to where they could go, and that they had made an agreement with Gibbs the hack driver to take them to Rocky Point and back.

His Honor in giving judgment said that the weight of evidence pointed to intended desertion. The purchase of a large quantity of civilian's clothes and the fact they were placed on board the trap could not be reconciled with the picnic story. Their conversation overheard by the boy Williams and their resistance to the authorities after one of them had admitted it was their intention to desert, convinced him that they were guilty. The decision of the Court would therefore be that they be handed over to the naval authorities and that the costs of arrest, &c., be paid from the proper source.

A Fort Rupert Indian charged with being in possession of an intoxicant was sentenced to one month's hard labor.

His Honor called the attention of the natives present to the fact that this was the first case under the Canadian Act of 1876 which was a stringent law, the least punishment he could inflict being one month's imprisonment with or without hard labor and the greatest, 6 months' imprisonment with or without; any native found in possession of an intoxicant was liable to the operation of this Act.

George Braddell, charged with stealing a watch, the property of one George Cruse, was remanded one day.

George Gibbs, charged with assisting the above-named seamen to desert from H.M. navy was discharged with a caution.

I. O. O. F.—M. W. Grand Master J.P. Davies, assisted by the R. W. D. G. M., R. Roberts, installed in their respective stations the officers of New Westminster Lodge on the 11th inst. The names of the officers installed were as follows:—N. G., L. F. Bonson; V. G., A. Peele; R. S., W. McColl; P. S., J. E. Insley; Treasurer, J. Morey; J. P. G., C. N. Trew; R. S. N. G., H. Elliott; L. S. N. G., J. W. Howieson; R. S. V. G., W. H. Edwards; L. S. V. G., G. Newton; R. S. S., R. Andrews; L. L. S., Wm. Powers; J. G., D. Withrow; O. G., J. T. Scott; Conductor, A. Jackson; Warden, Wm. Lilstor. We understand that a new lodge will be installed shortly at Okanagan.

FROM NEW WESTMINSTER.—The steamer Enterprise arrived here at 1 p. m. yesterday from New Westminster bringing the Lower-Fraser mails and the following passengers: Mrs. C. E. P. Woods, Capt. and Mrs. W. E. Caldrey, Archdeacon Woods, Rev. Mr. Newton, Hon. F. G. Vernon, H. Holbrook, J. P. Davies, L. Campbell, W. Fisher, F. Saunders, and Messrs. Roberts, Soule, Johnston, J. Buie, and Hendry.

CONTRACT AWARDED. — Tenders were opened yesterday for the erection of a brick residence for Mr. W. Galley on the Saanich road near to Mr. H. F. Heisterman's premises and the contract was awarded as follows: Carpenter's work, Mr. G. Simpson; painting, Mr. E. Harrison; plastering, Mr. J. Huntington; tinning and plumbing, Mr. D. Heal. The brick and stone work will be performed under Mr. Galley's personal superintendence.

THE LOSSES ON THE NORTH THOMPSON. The high waters on the North Thompson carried away 30,000 lbs. of goods stored on Raft river belonging to the C. P. R. Survey, and some 20,000 lbs. the property of F. J. Barnard & Co. The water attained a height of four feet above the highest point ever known before and swept away storehouses and contents.

CRICKET EXTRAORDINARY. — We learn that the brethren of the ancient and distinguished order of J.Cs. propose to play a cricket match *versus* the rest of the western slope of the Rocky Mountains on Tuesday next, 18th inst., at Beacon Hill, and that it is their intention to give a *dejeuner* to a number of invited guests.

THE steamer Cariboo-Fly arrived from Nanaimo and way ports at 3:50 p. m. yesterday with the mails and the following passengers: Mrs. Reynolds, Mrs. Mason, Lev. Mr. Mason, Rev. Mr. Holmes, T. A. Bulkley, D. W. Gordon, W. Waters, Capt. Clarke, G. B. Adams, D. Lindsay, S. Nicholson, Campbell, J. McIntosh.

RECEPTION OF LORD DUFFERIN. — A meeting of the citizens of Victoria will be held at Philharmonic Hall this evening at 8 o'clock to take steps for the reception of Earl Dufferin.

HIGH SCHOOL.—The examination of candidates desirous of entering the High School will commence at 9 o'clock this morning at the new school building.

THE examination of the pupils of St. Ann's school commences at the new convent this morning at 9 o'clock.

## New Westminster District.

[Guardian.]

At a meeting of the City Council his Worship the Mayor was requested to call a public meeting on Monday evening next, for the purpose of taking into consideration the necessary steps to be taken for giving the Governor-General a suitable reception on his visit to this city.

On motion, the Clerk was requested to communicate with the Langley, Maple Ridge and Chilliwhack Councils, and solicit their co-operation in giving the Governor-General, Lord Dufferin, a suitable reception on his visit to the Mainland.

A Frenchman, named Prosper Alry, was brought down from the wagon road, where he had been working, as of unsound mind. He was duly examined by our doctors, and the charge confirmed. He goes down to Victoria this morning.

The prisoner Bransfield, the boatman who conveyed Fernandez in his craft, was again brought up, yesterday and after the usual discussion among a full bench of Justices, was again remanded till Friday.

Jemore, the man who was wounded by a pistol shot at Granville, is out of danger and rapidly recovering.

[Herald].

The midsummer examinations of St. Ann's and St. Louis' Schools will take place to-day and to-morrow, after which the schools will be closed for vacation.

Two men at Burrard Inlet, convicted of selling liquor to Indians, were sentenced by Hon. Hugh Nelson, J.P.,—one to five, the other to three months' hard labor, with a fine of $100 in each case, or an additional month in default.

The M. W. Grand Master, J.P. Davies, arrived by the Enterprise and last evening installed the officers of the Lodge here.

Wild steers landed indiscriminately near the city cause alarm. A Mr. Harmon had his horse gored to death under him and narrowly escaped himself.

NANAIMO—*Free Press*—In the County Court the Tippling Act was pleaded by defendant in a case where a saloon-keeper sued to recover for drinks supplied, and the case was dismissed. In the same Court J. White sued Quennell and Robinson to recover $200 for being *capiased*. Plaintiff lost his suit because he had told some one he was going to Cassiar....Mayor Bate has imported a handsome pair of carriage horses....I Quagliotti occupies his new store....Coun. Hirst has demolished the 20-year old wharf erected by the Hudson Bay Co. in bygone days and is about to put up a new wharf on the same site.... The reduction asked by the Wellington colliery was $1 20 to $1, and not from $1 to 80 cents....Mr. R. Maynard, photographer, has taken good views of Mr. Peck's residence, the Long Bridge, the Ærial Tramway, Waterfront, etc....The Wellingtonians decline to accept the reduced rate.

WRITS OF CAPIAS.—The people of Nanaimo have petitioned for a reduction of the amount ($100) for which a *capias* may issue. The *Free Press* sensibly points out that a man may contract a debt of $99 87½ and go and come as he pleases, and that the majority of the debts contracted at Nanaimo being small the creditor is frequently defrauded. The petitioners also ask for the appointment of a Registrar of the County Court who, in the absence of the County Court Judge, may issue summonses, writs, etc.

BURRARD INLET exported to foreign countries during the half year ending June 30, 1876, 12,600,000 feet of lumber and 348 spars valued at $138,485 75.

DEBENTURES.—A large amount of debentures was disposed of yesterday at par.

THE U. S. Revenue cutter was re-commissioned yesterday.

## Cedar Hill School.

EDITOR COLONIST:—Married men: Now's your chance! Cedar Hill school is again vacant; and, seeing that

"Satan finds some mischief still
For idle hands to do,"

"The wife of the successful applicant will be expected to teach the girls needlework." No honorarium is attached to this; but it will have the very desirable effect of keeping her hands off cows, and her fingers out of the churn.

It is quite true that two married teachers have, so to speak, been driven from their post there; but that is a mere bagatelle—to the trustees. The damning offence of the first was that he had his coat cut Presbyterian fashion. What right had he to freedom of conscience? He also, Scotchman-like, sometimes misused the auxiliaries "will" and "shall;" misplaced the accent on interesting; and was growing old, actually 50. It is true most of his life had been spent in teaching; but of what value is 30 years' experience in that profession?

The last dismissed is still there, and perhaps the Board of Education may say in this case, what ought to have been said in the first, "*non possumus*." So his shortcomings need not be detailed. But, are they not all written in the book of the Chronicles of the Trustees of Cedar Hill school in the antique orthography of the district? for example, taking spelled with an "e" (takeing). He, too, has a family dependent on him; but why has he? Why do not teachers marry infertile women, if they must marry at all? Or, is the fact that a man has a family to support to be allowed a feather's weight against the profound judgments of cultured and enlightened men such as school trustees are universally allowed to be in this Province? I trow not. SENEX.


PHILIP JAMES, M. D., Diplomatized Eclectic Physician and Accoucheur of 45 years' experience, offers his services to the inhabitants of Victoria. Extracts Polypus and Cancer without the use of the knife. Rheumatic pains cured in one hour. He is now using the *Electric Magnetic Machine*, with good effect in many diseases of Rheumatic, Palsy or Paralysis and Fits.

Pandora street, above the Synagogue. *

MUSIC — NOTICE OF REMOVAL. — Mr. Digby Palmer has removed into his new residence, Fort street. Instruction on the pianoforte, singing and thorough bass; pianofortes tuned; evening parties and balls supplied with music; pianofortes tuned by the year, $10. Orders may be left at T. N. Hibben & Co's. *6m

WORK FROM the the trade solicited at trade prices. The trade furnished with tools and material at San Francisco prices. A. A. Hillesmeyer, Practical Watchmaker, Government Street. *


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## LAST NIGHT'S DISPATCHES.

EASTERN STATES.

NEW YORK, July 11.—Gold closed at 111¾.

The Chamber of Commerce forwarded to Sherman, Chairman of the Senate Committee on finance, a protest against the passage of the bill making the old silver dollar a full legal tender for all debts, public and private.

NEW YORK, July 11.—Dispatches from every direction speak of the intense heat, its long continuance and its fatal effects. Refreshing showers have occurred on all sides; but New York still suffers. No rain has fallen for more than two weeks.

NEW YORK, July 12.—Deaths yesterday from sunstroke exceeded in number those of any previous day for 65 years, except July 2nd, 1872, when 68 were reported. Every case of sunstroke reported at police headquarters yesterday, with one or two exceptions, terminated fatally. Up to 3 p. m. the health board had issued 292 burial permits, an unusually large number for any one day. The deaths from sunstroke yesterday are believed by officials at the health office to be nearly 60.

There was a heavy rain storm this evening accompanied by thunder and lightning. It is the first rain in twenty days.

WASHINGTON, July 11.—The President sent the following nomination to the Senate: James W. Tyner, Indiana, Assistant Postmaster General, to be Postmaster General, vice Marshall Jewell, resigned.

NEW YORK, July 11.—The band of 800 Mormons who recently arrived from Europe have started for Utah. Many of the men have as many as eight wives.

BALTIMORE, July 11.—Yesterday there were 27 cases of sunstroke in this city—14 fatal.

LONG BRANCH, July 11.—The first race of the second meeting for the trial purse, one mile, was won by May B. Durange; 2nd, Sanet Morton; 3rd, Lexington; 4th Burgess. Time 1.46½. Burgess won 2nd and 3rd heats. Time, 1.46 and 1.48½.

NEW YORK, July 11.—The *Herald's* cable news from the seat of war in the east this morning is somewhat more favorable to the Servians in the northwest. They are before the Bosnia township of Novarosh. In the east the Turks have not followed up their victory at Saitchar, but have withdrawn over the river Timoj into Turkish territory. Tchernayoff's position is now safe. Some Asiastic troops are at Nissa which is a point of great strategic importance. The Turks having greatest advantage here on account of fortifications erected during the last year and defended by 100 heavy cannon. Forty thousand Turkish troops are in Rusha full of enthusiasm and fanaticism. A conflict between Austria and Russia is feared, notwithstanding the late pacific reassurance. Andrassy hates the Russians and therefore it is hoped the rumors of his dismissal will prove true. A rigid censorship of the press journals in Turkey.

NEW YORK, July 12—The London *Times* Berlin special has the following: Count Andrassy has offered to mediate between Russia and England. The Count seems to have had reason to hope that Germany would cooperate in mediation. Russia having given no definite answer the situation remains unchanged. In negotiations preceding the above offer Count Andrassy said he was not willing to consent to any territorial change in Turkey unless approved by other powers. He was, however, willing to maintain neutrality.

EUROPE.

PARIS, July 11—The Turks have captured Lactchar and the Servian General, Tchernagoff, is hemmed between the Turkish armies marching from Widden and Soppia. The position of the Servian General, Antich, near Manibazaar, is threatened.

BELGRADE, July 11 — The Turks have retreated from the right bank of the river Dwina to Widden, and the Servian army occupies several villages in that region. The population of the district has risen and joined the Servians. The Servians under Gen. Brifan fought a superior force of Turks for seven hours on the 7th at Kruschevaz. Turkish lost considerable and the Servians captured some flags, a quantity of arms and occupied several villages. Turkey has acceded to Roumania's request for neutralization of the Danube on condition that Roumania must prevent the Supply of arms through her territory to the Servians. Egyptian troops were starting on the 10th for Turkey. It is rumored 12,000 men are under arms and orders for Turkish service. The Montenegran army, numbering 19 000, has occupied the road between Kluck and Itolaiz and intends to surround Churz and Stabble. Its movements are kept secret as far as possible. A correspondent of the *Times*, reviewing the Eastern question, says it is the opinion of competent men that nothing decisive has occurred. The Paris special says Mehunet Ali has been driven back.

A dispatch from Constantinople of the 10th says a great battle has been fought near Hirot. Result not known.

LONDON, July 11—A dispatch from Valparaiso via Montevideo, July 7, announces that the American steamship Georgia which left New York May 14th, for Panama and San Francisco, and which has been previously reported as having touched at Rio Janiero, is ashore in the Straits of Magellan, and will probably be a total wreck. The cargo is being saved.

LONDON, July 12—The *Standard's* Vienna dispatch says the Turkish telegrams report that Gen. Tchernayoff has suffered a crushing defeat and fled to Servia in disorder.

The London Daily *News* says Earl Derby has consented to receive a deputation on Friday, including many members of Parliament, who will present a memorial urging neutrality on the Eastern question. Gladstone has decided to preside at a public meeting on the same subject; the Earl of Shaftsbury will probably be invited.

CALIFORNIA.

SAN FRANCISCO, July.—The German bondholders of the California Pacific RR. and the directors of the Central Pacific to-day presented an agreed case to Judge Wheeler of the 19th district to obtain a decision relative to the validity of the indorsement by the Central Pacific of the bonds of the California Pacific for the purpose of taking an appeal to the Supreme Court by the decision of which they mutually agree to abide. Judge Wheeler rendered a profound decision that the indorsement is valid and the case will now be taken to the Supreme Court. The recent decision of Judge Morrison of the 4th District Court in the Coalat and Robinson suit to the effect that the indorsement was illegal and void has probably been prompted by the present measure.

In the U. S. District Court to-day some whisky cases came up. The proprietors of the Bay View Distillery were given 20 days to answer; the case of the Los Angelos Distillery is set for August 8th and that of Antioch Distillery for August the 10th.

SAN FRANCISCO, July 11.—Flour—Jobbing rates show no change, and prices are quiet and irregular.

Wheat—Shippers are in want of lots at $1 50; but there is very little for sale.

Barley—New feed selling at 90 @ 95c.; old feed at $1@$1 15; old brewing, $1 10 @ $1 20, part silver.

## English Mail to June 3.

[Per steamer Annie Stewart.]

The *Liverpool Courier* states that the number of magnificent steamships now lying idle in the Liverpool and Birkenhead docks is without parallel in the history of commerce.

Mr. Dixon, M. P. for Birmingham, has resolved to retire from Parliament after the Government Education Bill has been disposed in the House Commons. It is anticipated that Mr. Chamberlain, Mayor of Birmingham, will be selected by the Liberals to succeed him.

The English iron trade is threatened with exclusion from Russian markets, the Russian Government having determined to accede to the requests of the manufacturers in that country, and to place such impositions upon the importation of rails as will render it impossible for English makers to enter into competition with the Russian rail makers.

The article on 'cavalry,' recently extracted from the 'World' into 'The Mail,' and which has excited much notice, is said to be from the pen of Colonel Baker. Mrs. Baker is allowed to visit her husband in prison every day. She goes at two p. m. and remains till night.

A metropolitan constable who had demanded from a respectable mechanic his name and address, and attempted to arrest him, using such violence as to break his leg, has been sentenced by the Assistant-Judge at the Middlesex Sessions to be imprisoned and kept to hard labour for twelve months.

Three secessions to Rome are announced, all clergymen, and all Oxonians. On of them is the Rev. E. S. Grindle, one of Mr. Wagner's six curates at St. Paul's, Brighton; another is the Rev. Wm. Lovell, one of Mr. Butler's five curates at Wantage; and the third is the Rev. Frederick W. Willis, of Brooking-Totnes. Two of these gentlemen belonged to the more advanced school of Ritualists.

As the Rev. W. H. Davies, rector of Compton, near Guildford, was pronouncing the Benediction in his church, June 11th, he fell back in his pulpit. Assistance was at once rendered, but the rev. gentleman expired in a few moments. The deceased, who was only forty years of age, had held the living a comparatively short time.

Mr. Michael Cullen, eldest brother of Cardinal Cullen, has died at Liverpool. The deceased, who was eighty years of age, was looked upon as the father of the Irish cattle trade in Liverpool, having been engaged therein since 1820 as one of the firm of Verdon and Cullen.

Unless Mr. Ripley and Sir George Bowyer anticipated the proceeding and resigned their membership, the General Committee of the Réform Club would meet and deal with their political apostacy on June 16. The Conservative papers themselves admit that Mr. Ripley ought clearly to resign. In fact they say that there cannot be two opinions on the subject. A requisition, signed by seventy or eighty members of the Reform Club, has been presented to the Political Committee, since the Parliamentary debate, calling for Mr. Ripley's expulsion. [Sir Robert Peel is another doubtful member of a Liberal Club—Brooks'; but the rules of that place are so elastic that he cannot be got rid of as the Reform can get rid of Mr. Ripley and Sir George Bowyer].

The escape of the Fenian prisoners from Western Australia was celebrated on Sunday, June 11, by the Dublin Nationalists. A procession marched through the streets with burning torches, and, accompanied by bands playing well-known rebel airs. Foremost among the bands was the Martyr's band, dressed after the Robert Emmet fashion. The procession numbered several thousand torches. The principal streets were traversed, and there was prolonged cheering while passing the Bank of Ireland, Grattan's monument, and Smith O'Brien's statue. There was great groaning in passing William III.'s monument, and a number of burning torches were thrown on the top of it. On arriving at Grattan (formerly Essex) bridge, a halt was made, and the two effigies were placed on the parapet and ignited. They were filled with fireworks, and caused an illumination which was visible at a great distance. One of these represented Mr. Disraeli, which bore on the breast a label, with the words "A Christian Jew," and on the back another inscribed "You are the murderer." The second represented the Duke of Cambridge, and was labelled "A Germanic Briton." The mob then proceeded along the quays, and their progress being impeded by a tram car, they dragged the passengers off and smashed the windows of the vehicle. The police did not interfere at any time.

Mr. Thomas Stead, managing director and secretary of the Liver Alkali Works Company, Liverpool, has died from the effects of poison. The deceased, who had been from home about three weeks for the benefit of his health, returned on Saturday evening. During his absence his house had undergone cleaning, and carbolic acid had been used. The bottle containing what remained of the liquid was left on the mantelpiece in the bedroom in which Mr. Stead slept. He suffered from a cough, and a bottle of cough mixture was also placed on the same mantelpiece as the carbolic acid. When in bed he asked his wife to give him a dose of the mixture and she poured into a wineglass what appears to have been the carbolic acid. Mr. Stead, without perceiving the mistake, drank it off, and was immediately seized with violent pains, and when his sister was called from an adjourning bedroom, and the mistake was then discovered, two doctors were immediately sent for, but their services were of no avail, and death took place in less than an hour. The deceased was 57 years of age.

A sad fatality, by which twelve persons came by their deaths, occurred on June 11th at Eastbourne. A party of thirteen including a boatman, went for a sail, and, when a little over a mile from shore, a gust of wind capsized the boat, the result being that all the occupants, except one, were drowned. The majority of the bodies have been recovered.

Paris advices state that the explanations respecting Eastern affairs, given by Mr. Disraeli in the House of Commons on Friday, have been very favorably received in France.

At the Scarborough County Court the other day, Dr. Rablah, physician, practicing at Scarborough, sued a number of persons for various sums due to him for medical attendance. In the course of the hearing of one of the cases Dr. Rablah, in reply to Mr. Williamson, who was engaged to conduct the defendant's case, made use of the remark, 'I go for honesty, you lawyers do not.' The judge (Mr. F. A. Bedwell), addressing the plaintiff, said:—'How dare you have the audacity to make such a remark in a court of justice? It is an offense for which I have the power to commit you to York Castle for contempt of Court, but instead of doing this I shall fine you £5, and you will be detained in custody until the money is paid.' Dr. Rablah made two attempts to get out of Court, and at the second attempt was warned by the Judge that if he persisted in trying to leave the Court he would increase the fine. The money was eventually brought to the Court, and the Doctor was released.

Lord Elcho has the following notice of motion on the papers of the House: "That in the opinion of this House there ought to be some public recognition of acts of courage and self-sacrifice in saving human life, such as that made by John Chiddy, a quarryman, who was killed on the Bristol and Exeter railway whilst removing a large block of stone from the line before the approach of a train."

Matthew Spencer Wyatt, son of Sir Matthew Digby Wyatt, was charged at the Marlborough police court with uttering a forged bill of exchange for £100 to a bill discounter, who, in the course of cross-examination, stated that eighty per cent. was the maximum rate of interest he charged his clients. The prisoner was remanded, bail being refused.

The stoker of a train at Ennis railway station, in the absence of the driver, set the engines in motion, ran furiously up and down the line, and at last charged into a train of empty carriages standing on the rails, doing damage to the amount of £500. He has been arrested.


## Steam Book and Commercial Printing.

At the BRITISH COLONIST office three steam power presses are kept constantly in motion turning out the best class of printing at the lowest possible rates. New styles of type are received by every arrival. Call and see specimens. *

PIANOFORTES AND HARMONIUMS. — At Albion House are being landed ex 'Charlotte Clarke,' a further supply of Chappell & Co's prize medal Pianofortes; also, a few of the celebrated Alexandre Harmoniums and small Church Organs which now take precedence over all others in musical circles. These instruments are worth the attention of intending purchasers, and will be sold at agent's rates and on easy terms.—A. B. GRAY & Co., Agents for B. C.

Government street, 4th July, 1876. *

FELL'S COFFEE, superior to any other manufactured on the Coast, may be obtained of all respectable dealers throughout the Province. * *

MR. ALF. HILLENMEYER, who has for a number of years been employed as watchmaker by a leading firm in this city, has opened a shop for repairs of watches, clocks and jewelry on Government street, second door from Yates. With extensive experience in the business he guarantees entire satisfaction. All watch and clock work warranted for one year. *1m

WEEKLY BRITISH COLONIST.—The weekly edition of the BRITISH COLONIST, the largest, cheapest and best paper in the Province, is now ready for mailing. It contains a large amount of reading matter of interest to people abroad, and is the most valuable medium of intelligence on the British Pacific. Price one bit.

OLD CHICORY is almost a thing of the past. Finlayson's Coffee presides over the present. It has now superseded what used to be claimed as "superior to and other manufactured on this coast," and will soon be found on every well-furnished table in the Province. Prepared at his premises on Fort street, and sold by all the principal dealers.

## Notices.

PROVINCIAL SECRETARY'S OFFICE,
2nd June, 1876.

THE LIEUTENANT-GOVERNOR in Council directs it to be publicly notified, that His Excellency the Governor-General in Council has been pleased, by and with the advice of his Privy Council, to disallow the Act passed on the 22nd of April, 1875, by the Legislative Assembly of British Columbia, intituled "An Act to make provision for the better Administration of Justice."

By Command.
A. C. ELLIOTT,
Provincial Secretary.
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PROVINCIAL SECRETARY'S OFFICE,
2nd June, 1876.

NOTICE is hereby given that the forms requisite to be used under the "Qualification and Registration of Voters Act, 1876," have been supplied to and can be had, by those who require them, from the various collectors and Government Agents throughout the Province.

CHARLES GOOD,
Deputy Provincial Secty.
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### Qualification and Registration of Voters Act, 1876.

**Victoria City and Esquimalt Electoral Districts.**

NOTICE is hereby given, that in pursuance of sub-section f. of Section 7 of the "Qualification and Registration of Voters Act, 1876," I shall, on Monday the 7th August next, hold a Court of Revision, for the purpose of hearing and determining any or all objections against the retention of any names on the Registers of Voters.

Such Court will be opened at 12 o'clock, noon, at the Court House, Bastion Street, Victoria.

RICHARD WOODS,
Collector.
2nd June, 1876.

### Qualification and Registration of Voters Act, 1876.

**Victoria Electoral District.**

NOTICE is hereby given, that in pursuance of sub-section f of Section 7 of the "Qualification and Registration of Voters Act, 1876," I shall, on Monday the 7th August next, hold a Court of Revision, for the purpose of hearing and determining any or all objections against the retention of any names on the Register of Voters.

Such Court will be opened at 12 o'clock, noon.

SAMUEL ROBERTS,
Collector.
2nd June, 1876.

### Qualification and Registration of Voters Act, 1876.

**Cowichan Electoral District.**

NOTICE is hereby given, that in pursuance of sub-section f. of Section 7 of the "Qualification and Registration of Voters Act, 1876," I shall, on Monday, the 7th August next, hold a Court of Revision, for the purpose of hearing and determining any or all objections against the retention of any names on the Register of Voters.

Such Court will be opened at 12 o'clock, noon, at the Court House, Cowichan.

JOHN MORLEY,
Collector.
2nd June, 1876.

### Qualification and Registration of Voters Act, 1876.

**Nanaimo Electoral District.**

NOTICE is hereby given, that in pursuance of sub-section f. of Section 7 of the "Qualification and Registration of Voters Act, 1876," I shall, on Monday, the 7th August next, hold a Court of Revision, for the purpose of hearing and determining any or all objections against the retention of any names on the Register of Voters.

Such Court will be opened at 12 o'clock, noon, at the Court House, Nanaimo.

T. L. FAWCETT,
Collector.
2nd June, 1876.

### Qualification and Registration of Voters Act. 1876.

**Comox Electoral District.**

NOTICE is hereby given, that in pursuance of sub-section f. of Section 7 of the "Qualification and Registration of Voters Act, 1876," I shall, on Monday, the 7th August next, hold a Court of Revision, for the purpose of hearing and determining any or all objections against the retention of any names on the Register of Voters.

Such Court will be opened at 12 o'clock, noon, at the Court House, Comox.

R. H. PIDCOCK,
Collector.
2 June, 1876.

### Qualification and Registration of Voters Act. 1876.

**New Westminster and New Westminster City Electoral Districts.**

NOTICE is hereby given, that in pursuance of sub-section f. of Section 7 of the "Qualification and Registration of Voters Act, 1876," I shall, on Monday, the 7th August next, hold a Court of Revision, for the purpose of hearing and determining any or all objections against the retention of any names on the Register of Voters of the above Districts, excepting the Burrard Inlet Polling Division of New Westminster District.

Such Court will be opened at 12 o'clock, noon, at the Court House, New Westminster.

EDWARD DICKINSON,
Collector.

### Qualifications and Registration of Voters Act, 1876.

**Burrard Inlet Polling Division of New Westminster Electoral District.**

NOTICE is hereby given, that in pursuance of sub-section f. of Section 7 of the "Qualification and Registration of Voters Act, 1876," I shall, on Monday, the 7th August next, hold a Court of Revision, for the purpose of hearing and determining any or all objections against the retention of any names on the Register of Voters.

Such Court will be opened at 12 o'clock, noon.

J. MILLER,
Collector.
2d June, 1876.

### Qualification and Registration of Voters Act, 1876.

**Yale Electoral District.**

NOTICE is hereby given, that in pursuance of sub-section f. of section 7 of the "Qualification and Registration of Voters Act, 1876," I shall, on Monday, the 7th August next, hold a Court of Revision, for the purpose of hearing and determining any or all objections against the retention of any names on the Register of Voters.

Such Court will be opened at 12 o'clock, noon, at the Court House, Yale.

WILLIAM TEAGUE,
Collector.
2d June, 1876.

### Qualification and Registration of Voters Act, 1876.

**Lillooet Electoral District.**

NOTICE is hereby given, that in pursuance of sub-section f. of Section 7 of the "Qualification and Registration of Voters Act, 1876," I shall, on Monday, the 7th August next, hold a Court of Revision, for the purpose of hearing and determining any or all objections against the retention of any names on the Register of Voters.

Such Court will be opened at 12 o'clock, noon, at the Court House, Lillooet.

A. W. SMITH,
Collector.
2d June, 1876.

### Qualification and Registration of Voters Act, 1876.

**Cariboo Electoral District.**

NOTICE is hereby given, that in pursuance of sub section f. of Section 7 of the "Qualification and Registration of Voters Act, 1876," I shall, on Monday the 7th August next, hold a Court of Revision, for the purpose of hearing and determining any or all objections against the retention of any names on the Register of Voters.

Such Court will be opened at 12 o'clock, noon, at the Court House, Richfield.

JNO. BOWRON,
Collector.
2nd June, 1876.

### Qualification and Registration of Voters Act, 1876.

**Kootenay Electoral District.**

NOTICE is hereby given, that in pursuance of sub-section f. of Section 7 of the "Qualification and Registration of Voters Act, 1876," I shall on Monday, the 7th August next, hold a Court of Revision, for the purpose of hearing and determining any or all objections against the retention of any names on the Register of Voters.

Such Court will be opened at 12 o'clock, noon, at the Court House, Wild Horse Creek.

C. BOOTH,
Collector.
2nd June, 1876.
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## MR. HELMCKEN

MAY BE CONSULTED AT HIS OFFICE Victoria, between the hours of 9 and 12 in the morning, or at his residence, James Bay, in the evening:
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## New Advertisements.

# TEMPORARY LOAN ACT, 1876.

## Official Copy of the Debenture.

THE following is published for general information:

T. BASIL HUMPHREYS,
*Minister of Finance.*

TREASURY, VICTORIA, 7th June, 1876.

No. .....

Entered in Debenture Register, ..... day of ..... 187 . ..... Auditor.

**BRITISH COLUMBIA GOVERNMENT DEBENTURE.**

**"BRITISH COLUMBIA LOAN ACT, 1876."**

$ .....

FOR ..... DOLLARS advanced to the GOVERNMENT OF BRITISH COLUMBIA, the Holder of this Debenture is entitled to receive Interest at the rate of SEVEN per centum per Annum, in half-yearly payments, payable at the Treasury, Victoria, British Columbia, or ....., on the First day of January, and the First day of July, in each year, on presentation of this Debenture.

The said sum of ..... DOLLARS with the Interest thereon, is charged upon and made payable out of the Revenue of the Province of British Columbia, under the provisions of the "British Columbia Loan Act, 1876," and the Principal will be repaid at the Treasury, Victoria, British Columbia, or ..... on presentation of, and in exchange for, this Debenture, at any time not less than two years after the issue hereof.

Date of issue ..... 187 .

**By Order of His Excellency the Lieutenant Governor.**

..... PROVINCIAL SECRETARY.

..... MINISTER OF FINANCE.

## Dentistry.

**C. F. Barnard, M. D.,**
**DENTIST,**
OFFICE AND RESIDENCE:
**DOUGLAS STREET.**
Between Dr. Powell's premises and Willson's Tea Store.
VICTORIA, May 11th, 1875.

**DR. J. CALDER,**
**Surgical & Mechanical**
**DENTIST,**
**LATE OF SAN FRANCISCO.**
OFFICE:
Right Hand side of Staircase,
**SPENCER'S PHOTOGRAPHIC GALLERY**
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**R. B. THOMPSON,**
**DENTIST,**
Office, - - - Occidental Building,
(Up Stairs,)
Cor. GOVERNMENT & FORT Sts.,
VICTORIA, B. C.
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Is the great remedy for
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**IT IS THE PHYSICIAN'S CURE FOR GOUT, RHEUMATIC GOUT, GRAVEL, AND ALL OTHER COMPLAINTS OF THE BLADDER.**
And as a safe and gentle medicine for Infants, Children, Delicate Females, and for the sickness of Pregnancy, Dinneford's Magnesia is indispensable.
Sold by all Druggists and Storekeepers.
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NORTON'S PILLS.

THE FOLLOWING IS AN
**EXTRACT FROM A LETTER**
dated 15th May, 1872, from an old inhabitan of Horningsham, near Warminster, Wilts:—
"I must also beg to say that your Pills are an excellent medicine for me, and I certainly do enjoy good health, sound sleep and a good appetite; this is owing to taking your Pills. I am 78 years old.
"Remaining, Gentlemen, yours very respectfully, L. S."
To the Proprietors of
**NORTON'S CAMOMILE PILLS, London**
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DR. J. COLLIS BROWNE'S (Ex Army Med Staff)
**CHLORODYNE**
IS THE ORIGINAL AND ONLY GENUINE.

CAUTION—Vice-Chancellor Sir W P Wood stated that Dr. COLLIS BROWNE was undoubtedly the inventor of CHLORODYNE: that the story of the defendant, Freeman, being the inventor was deliberately untrue which he regretted had been sworn to. Eminent Hospital Physicians of London stated that Dr J Collis Browne was the discoverer of Chlorodyne: that they prescribe it largely and mean no other than Dr Browne's—See TIMES, July 12, 1864.

The Public therefore are cautioned against using any other than

**DR J. COLLIS BROWNE'S CHLORODYNE.**

REMEDIAL USES AND ACTION.

This INVALUABLE REMEDY produces quiet, or freshing sleep, relieves pain, calms the nervous system restores the deranged functions and stimulates healthy action of the secretions of the body without creating any o those unpleasant results attending the use of opium. Old and young may take it at all hours and times when requisite. Thousands of persons testify to its marvelous good effects and wonderful cures while medical men extol its virtues most extensively using it in great quantities in the following diseases:—

Diseases in which it is found eminently useful—Cholera, Dysentery, Diarrhœa, Colics, Coughs, Asthma Crump Rheumatism, Neuralgia, Cough, Hysteria, be

The Right Hon Earl Russell communicated to the College of Physicians and J T Davenport that he had received information to the effect that the only remedy of any service in Cholera was Chlorodyne.—See Lancet Dec 31, 1864.

From A Montgomery, Esq., late inspector of Hospitals, Bombay: Chlorodyne is a most valuable remedy for Neuralgia, Asthma and Dysentery. To it I fairly owe my restoration to health after eighteen months severe suffering, and when other medicines had failed

Dr. Lowe, Medical Missionary in India reports (Dec 1865) that in nearly every case of Cholera in which Dr Collis Browne's Chlorodyne was administered the patient recovered.

Extract from Medical Times, Jan 10, 1866—Chlorodyne is prescribed by scores of orthodox remedical practitioners. Of course it would not thus be singularly popular did it not supply a want and fill a place.

Extract from the general Board of Health, London, as to its efficacy in Cholera.—So strongly are we convinced of the immense value of this remedy that we cannot too forcibly urge the necessity of adopting it in all cases.

Beware of spurious and dangerous compounds sold as CHLORODYNE from which frequen tfatal results have followed

See leading article, Pharmaceutical Journal, Aug 1, 1869, which states that Dr J. Collis Browne was the inventor of Chlorodyne: that it is always right to use his preparation when Chlorodyne is ordered. Sold in bottles at 1s 1½d, 2s 9d, 4s 6d, and 11s each.

CAUTION—None genuine without the words "Dr J. Collis Browne" on the Government stamp. Overwhelming medical testimony accompanies each bottle.

Sole Manufacturer, J T DAVENPORT,
GREAT RUSSELL STREET, BLOOMSBURY, LONDON.

## Notices.

# PROCLAMATION.

[L.S.] JOSEPH W. TRUTCH.

CANADA.

PROVINCE OF BRITISH COLUMBIA

VICTORIA, by the Grace of God, of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland, QUEEN, Defender of the Faith, &c., &c., &c.

To Our faithful the Members elected to serve in the Legislative Assembly of Our Province; of British Columbia, and summoned and called to a meeting of the Legislature or Parliament of Our said Province, at our City of Victoria, on Thursday, the twentieth day of July next, to have been commenced and held, and every of you—GREETING.

A PROCLAMATION.

A. C. ELLIOTT, Attorney-General. } WHEREAS the meeting of the Legislature or Parliament of the Province of British Columbia, stands called for Thursday, the 20th day of July next, at which time, at Our City of Victoria, you were held and constrained to appear,

NOW KNOW YE that for divers causes and considerations, and taking into consideration the ease and convenience of Our loving subjects, we have thought fit, by and with the advice of Our Executive Council of the Province of British Columbia, to relieve you, and each of you, of your attendance at the time aforesaid; hereby convoking, and by these presents enjoining you, and each of you, that on Thursday, the Twenty-first day of September next, you meet Us in Our said Legislature or Parliament of Our said Province, at Our City of Victoria, and therein to do as may seem necessary. Herein fail not.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, We have caused these Our Letters to be made Patent, and the Public Seal of the said Province to be hereunto affixed: WITNESS the Honorable JOSEPH WILLIAM TRUTCH Lieutenant-Governor of Our said Province of British Columbia, in Our City of Victoria, in Our said Province, this Thirtieth day of June, in the Year of Our Lord one thousand, eight hundred and seventy-six, and in the fortieth year of Our Reign.

By Command,
HENRY S. MASON,
Deputy Registrar Supreme Court. jy1

PROVINCIAL SECRETARY'S OFFICE,
7th July, 1876.

HIS EXCELLENCY the Lieutenant-Governor has been pleased to make the following appointments:—

ROBERT SMITH, of Nanaimo, Esquire, to be a Notary Public.

CHARLES A. VERNON, Esquire, to issue Gold Mining Licenses, Record Claims, &c., for the Okanagon Polling Division of the Electoral District of Yale.

The following gentlemen to be Assessors and Collectors, under the "Assessment Act, 1876," in and for the following Districts, or parts of Districts, described in the said Act:—

*District of Cariboo.*

WILLIAM STEPHENSON, Esquire, for the Richfield, Lightning Creek and Quesnellemouth Polling Divisions of the Electoral District of Cariboo, vice John Bowron, Esq.

*District of Victoria.*

ROBERT FRANKLIN JOHN, Esquire, for the Electoral District of Victoria, instead of for the North and South Saanich and Lake Polling Divisions of the said District, as gazetted on the 1st instant.

JAMES POTTINGER, Esquire, for the Electoral District of Esquimalt.

*District of Nanaimo.*

JOHN MORLEY, Esquire, for the Electoral District of Cowichan.

The following gentlemen to be Collectors under the "School Tax Act, 1876":—

JAMES ELIPHLET MCMILLAN, Esq., for the Electoral District of Victoria City.

ROBERT FRANKLIN JOHN, Esq., for the Electoral District of Victoria.

JAMES POTTINGER, Esq., for the Electoral District of Esquimalt.

JOHN MORLEY, Esq., for the Electoral District of Cowichan.

THOMAS LETT FAWCETT, Esq., for the Electoral District of Nanaimo.

JOSEPH RODELLO, Esq., for the Electoral District of Comox, and the Districts of Nelson and Newcastle, and Denman and Hornby Islands.

WILLIAM STEVENSON, Esq., for the Richfield, Lightning Creek and Quesnellemouth Polling Divisions of the Electoral District of Cariboo, vice John Bowron, Esq. jy9

The substance of this Notice, as soon as it is received on board, is to be inserted in red ink on the Charts affected by it; and introduced into the margin, or otherwise into the page, of the Sailing Directions to which it relates. See instructions, Navigation and Pilotage, p. 172.

## NOTICE TO MARINERS.

[No. 49.]

BRITISH COLUMBIA—VANCOUVER ISLAND STRAIT OF GEORGIA.

**Fixed Light on Entrance Island.**

The Government of the Dominion of Canada has given Notice, that on the 1st May, 1876, a light will be exhibited from a Lighthouse recently erected on Entrance Island, south point of entrance to Nanaimo Harbour.

The light will be a FIXED white light, elevated 65 feet above the level of high water, and in clear weather should be seen from a distance of 14 miles.

The illuminating apparatus is catoptric or by reflectors.

The tower, 50 feet high, is square, built of wood, painted white, and is attached to the keeper's dwelling.

Position, lat. 49 deg. 12 min. 50 sec. N., long. 123 deg. 48 min. 45 sec. W.

By Command of their Lordships,
FREDK. J. EVANS,
Hydrographer.
Hydrographic Office, Admiralty, London,
25th April, 1876.

This Notice affects the following Admiralty Charts:—Vancouver Island, No. 1917; Fraser River to N. E. point Texada Island, No. 579; and Cook River to California, No. 2461; Also, Admiralty List of Lights on the Western Coast of North America, 1876, page 15; and Vancouver Island Pilot, page 113. je26

## New Advertisements.

# POST OFFICE NOTICE.

## Arrival and Closing of Mails at Victoria.

**Summer Arrangements from 1st April, to 31st September, 1876.**

| MAILS. | ARRIVE. | CLOSE. |
|---|---|---|
| Canada, Great Britain Europe, and U. S., via San Francisco | About the 3d, 13th, and 23d of each Month | On the 10th, 20th, & 30th of each month, at 11 A.M. |
| Do. via Tacoma | Monday and Thursday 3 P.M | Tuesday at 9.30 A.M. and Thursday at 6 P.M. |
| Australia, New Zealand, Sandwich Islands and Fiji Islands. | Irregular dates of arrival... | In time to connect with mail steamer leaving San Francisco every 4th Saturday from Ap'l 24. |
| China and Japan | Irregular dates of arrival... | In time to connect with mail steamer leaving San Francisco on 1st of each month. |
| Mexico, Central America, and South Pacific coast. | Irregular dates of arrival... | On the 10th 20th & 30th of each month at 11 A.M. |
| New Westminster & Burrard Inlet and Yale. | Wednesday and Saturday at 3 P.M. | Monday and Thursday at 6 P.M. |
| Barkerville, and Intermediate offices. | Saturday 3 P.M. | Thursday at 6 P.M. |
| Nanaimo and intermediate offices. | Thursday at 5 P.M. | Monday at 6 P.M. |
| Comox and intermediate offices. | Every alternate Friday at 5 P.M. | Every alternate Monday at 6 P.M. |
| Esquimalt | Daily at 10:30 A.M. and 2:30 P.M. | Daily, at 11 A.M. and 4 P.M. |
| Metchosin | Monday, 1 P.M. | Tuesday, 12 Noon. |
| Saanich | Thursday, 10 A.M. | Wednesday, 9 A.M. |
| Sooke | Monday, 3 P.M. | Tuesday, 9 A.M. |

Letters for Registration must be posted half an hour before closing of each mail.

**MONEY ORDERS**

Payable at Money Order Offices throughout the Dominion, Great Britain and Ireland, Newfoundland, and the United States, and at the offices at Barkerville, Clinton, Nanaimo, New Westminster and Yale, in this Province, can be obtained at this office.

OFFICE HOURS—From 9 A. M. to 6 P. M.

FOR MONEY ORDERS—From 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.; on Saturdays from 9 A.M. to 12 noon.

**R. WALLACE, Post Office Inspector.**

POST OFFICE, VICTORIA, 1st April, 1876. my5

# SELLING OFF AT COST!

## To Close Copartnership.

## BURNS & EDWARDS

**Corner of Yates and Broad Streets,**

Beg to notify the Public that for the

**NEXT NINETY DAYS they will Offer their Entire Stock at COST!**

## THE GOODS HAVE TO BE SOLD, AND FOR CASH WILL BE SOLD AT COST!!

**THE STOCK COMPRISES:**

CROCKERY AND CHINAWARE—A Full Assortment, including Dinner and Tea Services, Toilet Sets, &c.

GLASSWARE—Cut Decanters, Claret Jugs, Sherries, Ports, Champagnes, Butter Dishes, Sugar Bowls, &c.

PLATEDWARE—Spoons, Forks, Tea Services, Cake Baskets, Toast Racks, &c.

TABLE CUTLERY, Pocket Cutlery, Carpenters' Tools, Hardware, Holloware, Tea Trays, Slop Pails, Flat Irons, Foot Baths, Bread Boards and Knives, Carpets, Wall Paper, Lamps, Lanterns, Coal Vases, Perambulators, Bird Cages, Window Blinds, &c.

**An Invoice of Men's Clothing,**
**An Invoice of Ladies' Black Silk Dresses.**
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## General Abstract,

SHOWING the average amount of the Liabilities and Assets, within the Province of British Columbia, of the Bank of British North America, taken from the usual Weekly Statements during the Quarter ending 30th June, 1876:

| Liabilities. | | Assets. | |
|---|---|---|---|
| Notes in circulation not bearing interest | $120,976 00 | Legal Tender Coin in Gold and Silver | $ 93,479 00 |
| Balances due to other Banks and Branches | 16,707 15 | Gold Bullion | 10,215 00 |
| Deposits on call not bearing int | 133,148 33 | Notes and Cheques of other Banks | 3,905 00 |
| Deposits not on call bearing interest | 505,835 17 | Landed and other Property | 18,000 00 |
| | | Balances due from other Banks & Branches | 503,825 43 |
| | | Am't of all other Debts due to the Bank | 164,799 21 |
| Total amount of Liabilities | $776,666 65 | Total amount of Assets | $794,223 64 |

Amount of Capital Stock paid up at the close of the Quarter ending 30th June, 1876 ..... $5,000,000
Rate of the last Dividend declared to the Shareholders ..... 8 per cent per annum
Amount of the last Dividend declared for half year ..... $200,000
Amount of the Reserved Profits at the time of declaring said Dividend ..... $1,158,130

J. GOODFELLOW, Manager.
[Signed]
ANDREW B. RITCHIE, Act'g Accountant.

VICTORIA, B.C., 10th July, 1876.

I, JOHN GOODFELLOW, do hereby declare, that to the best of my knowledge and belief the foregoing Abstract is a true and faithful account of the average amount of Liabilities and Assets within this Province of the above Bank during the period specified, and that the same was made up from the Weekly Statements thereof, kept in pursuance of the provisions of the "Banking Act, 1864."

[Signed] J. GOODFELLOW, Manager.

Declared before me at Victoria, this 10th day of July, 1876,
[Signed] A. J. LANGLEY, J. P.
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